

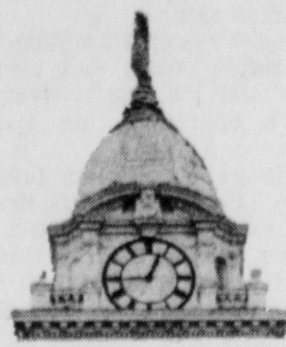
Weather

Cloudy tonight and Sunday with rain Sunday. Lows tonight in the upper 20s and low 30s. Highs Sunday in the low and mid 40s. Probability of precipitation 20 per cent tonight and 80 per cent Sunday.

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Arab hike to hit consumers

Americans to pay more for petroleum products

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — The world's leading oil exporting nations have adopted a new price system to bring them an extra 38 cents a barrel—an increase of 3.9 per cent.

Oil ministers of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) approved the price hike Friday at the end of a two-day meeting.

OPEC officials said the move was intended to reduce "unjustified" profits by the Western oil companies.

However, the companies indicated they may pass the higher prices on to the consumer. A spokesman for Gulf Oil Co. said the OPEC action could result in an increase not exceeding one cent a gallon for all oil products at the consumer level.

In Washington, Interior Secretary Rogers C.B. Morton, chairman of President Ford's Energy Resources Council, said the OPEC move means "all nations will pay an additional \$4 billion for imported oil and further depress their economic activity."

He added, "This action should remind all Americans that we must conserve energy and find other sources of energy. We must move towards independence."

OPEC announced that the new price will take effect Jan. 1, 1975, and continue for at least nine months. Previous quarterly increases had quadrupled oil prices in the past 18 months.

An OPEC communique said the oil ministers of the 13-nation group agreed to set an average price of \$10.12 for a 42-gallon barrel, compared with the \$9.74 previously paid by the oil companies.

The decision brings OPEC into line with three of its Persian Gulf members—Saudi Arabia, Qatar and the

United Arab Emirates—who adopted the price unilaterally last month.

OPEC announced the increase in its rates along with the introduction of a new pricing system to replace the post-decade price—an artificial figure used for assessing taxes and royalties.

Under the new system the oil producers charge the companies a single "market price," on top of which the oil companies will add 11 cents for production costs and 50 cents for profit. This will bring the new price to \$10.73 a

barrel, compared with the current price of \$10.35.

OPEC officials claim that because the new system of oil pricing is easier for the public to understand, it will be more difficult for companies to take allegedly unfair profits from the consumer.

But in New York, Exxon Corp., the largest U.S. oil company, said, "If the Arab countries and other OPEC nations raise our cost of crude oil 38 cents a

barrel, there clearly isn't enough profit to absorb it."

A spokesman for Gulf said the competitive situation will determine whether the company will absorb the increase, but he added, "Under Federal Energy Agency Administration pricing regulations, the increase in the cost of crude can be passed to the consumer. The 38-cent a barrel increase would amount to less than one cent a gallon increase in all manufactured products."

Rhodes sets takeover as vote recount ends

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Gov. John J. Gilligan has called off a recount of the gubernatorial election after nearly complete returns showed former Gov. James A. Rhodes' 11,414-vote victory margin holding steady.

Gilligan's press secretary, Robert Tenenbaum, conceded Friday afternoon it was "evident that there will be no significant change in the results of the Nov. 5 gubernatorial election."

Tenenbaum said the Democratic governor did not want to waste state money by continuing the recount through the weekend and notified Secretary of State Ted W. Brown to stop the tabulation at the close of business Friday.

Shortly after the Gilligan an-

nouncement, Brown reported final figures for 11,145 of the state's 12,831 precincts—about 87 per cent—showed Rhodes with a 106-vote net gain.

With 79 of Ohio 88 counties completed, the Republican governor-elect had picked up 712 votes to Gilligan's 606.

But the handwriting was on the wall late Friday morning when Brown reported the vote complete or nearly complete in most of the state's major counties, with no erosion of the Rhodes margin. "It would be a service if Gilligan would call the damn thing off," Brown had said after releasing the figures.

Gilligan was in Cincinnati for the day but his aides here began meeting

around noon to draft a statement halting the recount.

The governor had indicated before the recount he had no real hope that his defeat would be turned around, but he reportedly felt he owed it to administration employees to affirm the outcome.

Rhodes said "with the gubernatorial election finally over, we can not get on with the serious business of working for the economic and cultural growth of Ohio."

"I will seek the cooperation of Democrats, Republicans and independents in the effort to make a great state even greater," he said in a statement. "We will have new and exciting programs to serve all the people."

A spokesman for Rhodes said the governor-elect would probably begin naming "key personnel" early next week.

Gilligan congratulated Rhodes and pledged his cooperation in the transition, but a strain of the partisan bitterness that marred the three-day recount also came through in the statement read by his press secretary.

"Although the vote margin has not changed appreciably, this recount has turned up minor counting errors in approximately 20 per cent of the precincts in the state," Tenenbaum said. "The information gathered during the recount will permit Ohioans to recognize shortcomings in their election system."

Tenenbaum said Gilligan "believes it is important" that the legislature make changes in the election system.

Coffee Break . .

TWO CREWS of workers were involved in recounting gubernatorial votes Wednesday and Thursday nights at the Fayette County Board of Elections office, however only one of the crews was named in Friday's Record-Herald.

Serving on the second crew were Mrs. Mary Grim, Mrs. Mary Melvin, Mrs. Helen Sollars and Forrest Stephenson.

Saxbe shift made without bitterness

WASHINGTON (AP) — Thanks to a little luck, President Ford has made his first Cabinet change without the bitterness which high-level upheavals often produce.

Ford managed to lift Atty. Gen. William B. Saxbe out of the Cabinet by rewarding him with a job he's always wanted—ambassador to India.

The move, announced Friday by the White House, pleased critics who have urged Ford to replace the Cabinet holdovers from the Nixon administration. The Indian government approved, Saxbe was happy and his delight quieted grumblings from supporters who had hoped he would continue to run the Justice Department.

Ford took advantage of the coincidence that Saxbe has had a long-time interest in a country where the present ambassador, Daniel Patrick Moynihan, was ready to leave. Moynihan, on leave as a Harvard professor, must return by February to preserve his tenure.

At a news conference after the White House announcement, Saxbe said the assignment is "something I've wanted for a long time, and it will be a real adventure for me."

He confessed regrets about leaving unfinished work at the Justice Department but said he did not feel that he had been forced out as attorney general.

Saxbe said he accepted Ford's offer without a second thought and never was told whether the President would

have kept him on as attorney general had he refused the diplomatic assignment.

Saxbe said he and Ford have not discussed who should succeed him at the department and that he will make no attempt to influence the President's choice.

"But if I had a recommendation to make," he volunteered, it would be Deputy Atty. Gen. Laurence H. Silberman, whom he described as "forceful and direct, a great detail man."

But Ford reportedly already has

settled on Edward H. Levi, president of the University of Chicago for the past eight years, for the nomination.

Levi, described by associates as a conservative Democrat, refused to say whether the job has been offered. A university source said Levi probably would accept it if Ford asks him.

Saxbe will continue as attorney general until the Senate confirms his nomination as ambassador or until a new attorney general is confirmed, whichever comes first. That means the transition probably won't take place until late January.

Protest marches slated in Boston

BOSTON (AP) — Civil rights leaders led by the Rev. Ralph David Abernathy march in support of school desegregation here today, while opponents of busing as a means of classroom integration plan their own demonstration Sunday.

The two demonstrations cap a week of trouble for the Boston school system, which is under federal court order to bus some 18,000 of its 92,000 public school pupils to bring about racial balance.

Joining Abernathy, head of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, in the march today were such other civil rights leaders as Mrs.

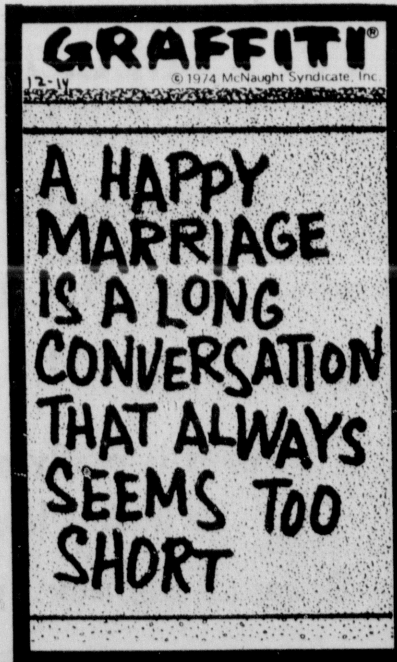
Martin Luther King Jr., comedian Dick Gregory and playwright Imanu Amiri Baraka (Leroi Jones).

The prointegration rally was sponsored by a group called the Emergency Committee for a National Mobilization against Racism. Groups from cities throughout the East and from as far away as Ohio said they would send delegations to the rally.

The antibusing rally scheduled for Sunday numbered among its backers state Sen. Raymond L. Flynn of Boston, who said the demonstration would focus on efforts to pass a constitutional amendment prohibiting the assignment of students on the basis of race, religion or sex.

U.S. District Court Judge W. Arthur Garrity Jr., who issued the busing order, told city officials Friday to enforce stern measures against demonstrations near school or along school bus routes.

He also told the school committee to draw up rules against the use of such racial epithets as "nigger" or "white trash."



A LITTLE FOREST CREATURE — "I've always enjoyed living out here on Creek Road so surrounded by nature, but I'll have to admit that if these are bear tracks, I'm going to start looking over my shoulder while hiking around," Fred Miles admitted, while measuring the tracks he found some 70 feet from his mobile home at noon Friday.

Large tracks discovered

Bear roaming county?

Fred Miles said good bye to his wife and walked out of the front door of his home at 7022 Creek Road to return to work at Carroll Halliday, Inc., after having had his lunch Friday around noon.

He was about 70 feet from his home when his eyes froze on some very unfamiliar tracks in the snow.

"What startled me," said Miles "was the size of the tracks. I've never seen a dog that big, nor would I care to, so I figured they must be bear tracks!"

Now, everyone knows there isn't bear in Fayette County; but, wait a minute. . . there is a man who has imported some. Miles explained.

"BOB HUFF on Mark Road raises all kinds of strange animals and does have some bears. In fact, one of them got loose around three weeks ago and when Huff tried to capture it, it went berserk and had to be killed. I guess the bear realized it was totally free and wanted to stay that way."

Miles said he had tried to contact Huff to see if any other of his bear had escaped, but didn't get an answer. He then called the Fayette County Sheriff's Department and they suggested



BIG DOG? — The tape measure speaks for itself. These tracks are pretty huge for one of the canine species. Is there a bear running around in Fayette County?

contacting Jerry Cremeans, the Fayette County game protector. Cremeans stated, "As far as

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Raccoons, skunks receive bad news on distemper

WASHINGTON (AP) — Something called the Center for Short-Lived Phenomena has bad news for raccoons and skunks.

Not to mention larch and spruce trees.

The harbinger of these grim preholiday tidings is part of the Smithsonian Institution, and it obviously hopes they will indeed be short-lived.

The Center for Short-Lived Phenomena operates a global environmental network of some 3,000 scientists and institutions in 148 countries to report transient events of scientific interest.

An outbreak of canine distemper is spreading rapidly among 'coons and skunks in Massachusetts, the center reports. First cases of the viral disease were spotted in March, and by August it was reported to have afflicted many raccoons in the Boston area.

Since then affected animals have been found in other parts of the state. The disease has been found in dogs in the Beverly area.

Canine distemper is marked by

uncoordinated movement and aggressive behavior, followed by convulsive seizures and death. The last major outbreak occurred in New York state in 1972.

England's Devon and Stafford Counties have a different sort of problem. For several years plantations growing Japanese larch trees have experienced severe and unexplained damage.

Now forestry officials have identified the culprits: African crested porcupines with a penchant for stripping bark.

It seems two of the spiny rodents, whose range is from Africa to southern Europe, escaped captivity in England in 1972.

English Forest Commission officers are trying to trap them live before they cause damage at other tree farms.

A related species, Hodgson's porcupine, has destroyed Norway spruce in Devonshire. A mature pair has been captured but there is concern over how many descendants they may have produced during five years of freedom.

Energy options hammered out

CAMP DAVID, Md. (AP) — Top administration officials are beginning a high-level think tank operation aimed at developing short- and long-term energy policies for presentation to President Ford.

Energy conservation ranks high on the list, which may also include discussion of quotas on oil imports backed up by some form of limits on the amount of gasoline and fuel oils Americans can use in 1975.

The officials, including Interior Secretary Rogers C. B. Morton and Federal Energy Administrator Frank G. Zarb, were scheduled to meet here at the presidential retreat all day today and Sunday.

An informed source said the officials would try first to decide the key facts and assumptions on which the rest of their planning would be based.

Then they were expected to discuss short-term policies for reducing U.S. dependence on oil imports for the next three years.

Administration officials have been unanimous in publicly concluding that energy conservation is about the only

way to cut oil imports. The only question—but a very big one—is how to do it.

There has been widespread agreement, too, that the use of petroleum products, especially gasoline, must be reduced.

President Ford repeatedly has ruled out application of a stiff gasoline tax to discourage sales.

The idea might still be discussed, but other alternatives appear more likely, with attention focusing on a return to the type of petroleum allocations required during last winter's Arab oil embargo.

That allocation system amounted to rationing of fuel oils and other products but did not ration gasoline to individual motorists.

If adopted again, this time as a self-

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imposed shortage, it would probably bring with it a deliberate and more careful return of such measures as odd-even-day gasoline sales and service station closing on weekends to reduce the chances of long gasoline lines.

President Ford also has opposed rationing of gasoline to consumers, but this also may be considered at least as a standby measure and possibly even as an immediate program.

Proposals also likely for discussion may include tax incentives or other aid for insulating existing buildings; a mandatory program for industries to plan energy conservation and report to the government, and the possibility of President Ford using emergency powers to make sure that steel and other critical materials and perhaps shipyard space as well are made available for energy conservation and production activities as needed.

Still another possibility might be a program to make electric power plants which burn oil or natural gas switch to coal, but Zarb warned Friday there were serious obstacles in the short run.

Lottery ticket sales high again

CLEVELAND, Ohio (AP)—Sales of Ohio lottery tickets soared 55 per cent last week, and a lottery spokesman credited holiday gimmicks coupled with suspensions of field repre-

sentatives whose efforts officials said had flagged.

Ticket sales reached 4.4 million during the week ended last Tuesday, the first week of the lottery com-

mission's "Holiday Bonus" game, the spokesman said.

The total was up 2.2 million from the week before. Sales had averaged 4 million over the first 17 weeks of the lottery's operation, the spokesman said.

Under the bonus plan, tickets sold between Dec. 3 and the first drawing in January were to bear two extra pairs of numbers, giving ticketholders additional chances at \$1,000 or \$2,000.

A second plan to overcome the sales lag, which the spokesman called typical for the season, was the "Lottery Man."

The Lottery Man, which "might be a woman," was to visit ticket outlets all over the state during the six-week holiday period, posing as a customer, the spokesman said. If clerks ask the pretender to buy a ticket, the Lottery Man pays the clerk \$20 on the spot.

About 500 clerks are to share in \$10,000 under the plan, the spokesman said.

The commission announced Friday it had suspended two field representatives for three days each and that six other faced the same disciplinary action "if they don't shape up."

James Dickerson, deputy executive director of the lottery, said the suspensions were intended to put representatives on notice that they must hustle or find their pay checks cut off.

"Get on the ball or get off the bus," Dickerson said he told staffers this week.

The lottery employs about 160 workers, not all of whom are field representatives.

Commission spokesmen blamed lagging sales mainly on the holidays and the newspaper blackout in Cleveland, heart of the district which normally led the state's seven sales divisions.

Fayette Memorial Hospital News

ADMISSIONS

Mrs. Allen O. McClung, 546 Comfort Lane, medical.

Mrs. Clara Hixon, 411 N. North St., medical.

Samuel Miller, Hillsboro, medical.

Mrs. Mary Marshall, Rt. 1, Jeffersonville, medical.

Kenneth Everhart, Hickory Lane, medical.

Mrs. Melvin Moore, 807 Van Deman St., medical.

DISMISSALS

Larry Brown, Jeffersonville, medical.

Daryl Moberly, Zanesville, medical.

Mrs. George Hott, New Holland, medical.

Malcolm Jette, 410 Broadway, medical.

William Williams, 6327 Allen Rd., medical.

Francis Craig, 245 Henkle St., surgical.

Irvin Pryor, Greenfield, surgical.

Mrs. Glen Large, Rt. 1, Mount Sterling, medical.

Gary Hooks, 627 E. Paint St., surgical.

Mrs. R. Neil Hughes, Jeffersonville, surgical.

BLESSED EVENTS

To Mr. and Mrs. Glen Thompson, Rt. 1, Frankfort, twin girls, 6 pounds, 8 ounces, at 9:13 a.m. and 6 pounds, 7½ ounces, at 9:17 a.m. Friday.

The Weather

COYT A. STOOKEY
Local Observer

Minimum yesterday	34
Minimum last night	31
Maximum	38
Pre. (24 hr. end. 7 a.m.)	.02
Minimum 8 a.m. today	31
Maximum this date last yr.	37
Minimum this date last yr.	26
Pre. this date last yr.	.10

By The Associated Press

A stationary front in northern Ohio brought a variety of weather to the state overnight. Heavy clouds blanketed the state and light drizzle was reported over much of Ohio, while light drizzle and snow fell in the extreme north.

Precipitation amounts were light, generally less than a tenth of an inch, and temperatures at dawn remained in the 30s.

Mainly About People

Miss Lucinda Jean Sagar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sagar, 116 Gardner Court, received a bachelor degree from the College of Arts and Science at Ohio State University at commencement exercises held in St. John Arena Friday. Attending the exercises besides her parents were her three sisters, Dianne, Lynn and Katherine, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sagar Sr., 673 Comfort Lane.

Santa's problem pup

CHAPTER 5
By Bob Boyle

Peako ran around the table and then jumped right up on Santa's lap.

He started to lick Santa on his big red nose.

Santa scratched Peako behind the ears with both hands.

"Santa, let's keep Peako here instead of the kennels," Jasman said.

"That's a good idea, Santa," said Juniperperper.

Mrs. Claus said, "Now I don't think Miss Kay Nihn would like that."

"That's true," Santa replied. "Miss Kay Nihn has rules and regulations and puppies, even cute ones like this, belong in the kennel."

"Phooey on Miss Kay Nihn," Juniperperper said.

"Oh, I'm surprised at you, Juniperperper," Mrs. Claus said. "That certainly isn't a nice way for one of Santa's elves to talk."

"But she is so mean," Juniperperper said.

"Now, now," Santa said. "She isn't mean. She is simply doing her job. She is in charge of the kennels and we must obey."

"But Santa, You're the boss of the North Pole," Juniperperper said. "You can tell her what to do and she would have to listen to you. You're in charge and she isn't."

"I put her in charge of the kennels," Santa explained. "And I have to do as the rules say, too. I just can't go and change rules."

Just then the door to Santa's house flew open and a piping mad Miss Kay Nihn came roaring in.

"What's going on here?" she called. "What's going on here. I see that dog. Who took him out of the kennels? Santa, I will not put up with this. If an elf left him out of the kennel, I want that elf punished. I'm in charge of the kennels and I will not stand for misbehavior."

"Settle down, Miss Kay Nihn," Santa said. "I know you're angry but let's find out what happened."

"All right, Santa," she replied. "But I don't want people disobeying me."

Santa turned to the elves and said, "Now did any of you elves leave Peako out of the kennel?"



"What's going on here? I see that dog!"

"Not me," said Juniperperper.

"A likely story," Miss Kay Nihn said.

"Miss Kay Nihn," Santa said. "You should know that elves don't lie. I have never met an elf who ever, ever told a lie."

"That's right, Santa," said Juniperperper. "None of us let Peako loose. Maybe Miss Kay Nihn did."

"Don't be silly," she said. "I would never let a puppy run loose. I still think that one of the elves left him out."

"I don't think so," Santa explained. "All the elves were here eating their supper."

"Well they must be punished," Miss Kay Nihn said.

"I can't punish them without reason," Santa said.

Peako snuggled closer to Santa and Santa continued to scratch the back of Peako's ear.

"See, Santa, even you are spoiling that dog," Miss Kay Nihn said. "And I still demand to know how he got out of the kennel."

With that Peako jumped to the floor and ran to the door.

He took the door latch in his teeth and did a complete somersault and the door opened.

"Oh, that was sweet the way he opened the door," Mrs. Claus said.

"Let's keep him here," Juniperperper said.

"No, no, no," Miss Kay Nihn warned. "He must go back to the kennel."

Peako, on hearing this, ran to Santa and jumped up on his lap.

"He doesn't want to leave Santa," Juniperperper said.

"Let him stay with Santa," Juniperperper pleaded.

"I said no, no, no," Miss Kay Nihn said. "We MUST follow the rules and Peako must be returned to the kennels."

"I guess you're right, Miss Kay Nihn," Santa said.

"Well, I will take him now," Miss Kay Nihn replied.

She reached to pick up Peako and he jumped down from Santa's lap and raced to the other end of the table.

Then Santa said, "Come on, Peako. You better come here."

With that, the little dog came out from behind Juniperperper's legs and went to Miss Kay Nihn.

"He listens to you and not to me," Miss Kay Nihn said to Santa.

"That's because he likes Santa," Juniperperper said.

"Yes, Santa is nice," Juniperperper said.

"Not like some people," added Jasper.

"You can take him back to the kennels," Santa sadly said. Peako licked Santa's hand.

Miss Kay Nihn put a leash on Peako.

As she tugged him away she said, "Now this time stay in the kennel."

More Monday

Ford, Giscard to ponder policy on energy

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford and French President Valéry Giscard d'Estaing are expected to try to reach a compromise on how to deal with the world energy crisis at their meeting this weekend on the Caribbean isle of Martinique.

Officials of both countries say there's hope the two leaders can find a way to resolve previous differences in approach to energy and economic problems.

Ford and Giscard, both of whom became president within the last seven months, will be meeting for the first time when they begin a three-day conference today on the tiny French island.

Both men are known for a friendly, informal style. And both have been coping at home with serious problems of inflation and unemployment.

They are coming together after a series of meetings among NATO and

European Common Market officials, dominated by the world dilemma over oil prices and other economic ills.

The major oil producers announced on Friday a new 3.9 per cent price increase.

Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger returned Friday night from the Brussels meeting of 15 North Atlantic Alliance prime ministers in time to catch a night's rest before joining Ford on today's 2,000-mile flight to Martinique.

Giscard already was in Martinique after a somewhat embarrassing stop en route on the neighboring French island of Guadeloupe, where he ran into demonstrations and criticism of French policy because of high inflation and unemployment.

The talks between Ford and Giscard will not get under way until Sunday, when they will hold morning and afternoon meetings. A third and final session comes Monday morning.

Capacity crowd attends program

The Eastside Elementary School welcomed a capacity crowd to the annual Christmas program held recently in the Washington C.H. Middle School Auditorium.

First, second, and third graders presented "Everywhere Christmas Tonight." Each grade took its place on stage and sang several beautiful Christmas songs. There were also special dances performed by the children.

The third graders sang several carols from other nations and acted out a traditional Christmas scene from each country. All grades combined to form a large choir for a finale which consisted of traditional Christmas carols.

Special music was furnished by "The Harmoniums" and Mrs. Libby Yerian and Miss Marcia Perry. Robert Minshall narrated the program which was under the direction of Mrs. Emily R. King, assisted by Mrs. Yerian and Miss Perry.

Beer and liquor stolen

CINCINNATI, Ohio (AP) — Mrs. Warren G. Bennis, wife of the President of the University of Cincinnati, reported that beer and liquor valued at \$149.50 was stolen from their basement by burglars.

Police said the thieves cut their way through a glass door with a glass cutter.

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Deaths, Funerals

Mrs. Aurelia Johnson

SABINA — Services for Mrs. Aurelia Johnson, 98, formerly of Sabina, who died at 2:15 a.m. Friday in the Deanview Nursing Home, Washington C.H., will be held at 10 a.m. Monday in the Littleton Funeral Home, Sabina.

Mrs. Johnson, who spent most of her life near Sabina, was preceded in death by her husband, John, and a son, Stanley. She was a member of the Sabina Friends Meeting.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Miles (Eleanor) Peele, Haines City, Fla.; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren, and three sisters, Mrs. Arthur Thomas, Amboy, Ind., Miss Ethel Crawford, Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Harry Smith, Charlotte, Tenn.

Burial will be in Sugar Grove Cemetery, Wilmington. Friends may call at the funeral home from 3 to 5 and 7 until 9 p.m. Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Bushenlechner

MIDDLETOWN — Mass will be sung Monday morning in Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Middletown for Mrs. Ruth Bushenlechner, 76, mother of Mrs. Mark O'Flynn, 704 E. Market St., Mrs. Bushenlechner died at 2 p.m. Friday in the Barbara Park Nursing Home. She is the widow of Joseph Bushenlechner.

Surviving besides Mrs. O'Flynn, is another daughter, Mrs. Futh Frost, also of Middletown; 10 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; four brothers and two sisters, all of the Middletown area.

Friends may call Sunday afternoon and evening at the Schramm Funeral Home. Burial will be made in Middletown.

MISS KATHY ZURFACE — Services for Miss Kathy Zurface, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Zurface, Jamestown, were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Littleton Funeral Home, Sabina, with the Rev. Albert Briggs and the Rev. Howard Shively officiating. Miss Zurface died Tuesday.

Mrs. Walter Stackhouse was the organist and pallbearers for the burial in Milledgeville-Plymouth Cemetery were Steve Cook, James Spence, James, Randy and Doug Zurface and Robert Bartruff.



CAROLYN CAGG

Greenfield girl wins black belt

After three hard-fought years, 17-year-old Carolyn Cagg, of Greenfield, was awarded her black belt in karate, this week at the Washington C.H. karate studio on Library Plaza.

Carolyn, who has studied the martial art under Al Conaway, since the age of 14, has served as assistant instructor for a Sunday evening karate class in Washington C.H., under the supervision of Roger Dillard.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cagg has also collected some trophies during her ascent up the ladder toward her black belt goal. She was awarded third place in kata competition and fourth place in fighting competition during the Ohio karate tournament in Columbus in 1973.

Carolyn said her interest in karate was originally kindled when she attended a tournament in Greenfield with a girlfriend.

"I never would have guessed that one day I would receive a blackbelt. I was so honored Tuesday when it happened. I plan to further my study of the art because it has provided me with a lot of fun and good exercise. Although I've never had to use it to protect myself, I believe it's a good thing to know in case a situation would ever present itself where I would have to call upon my training," she stated.

Large tracks

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I'm concerned, the tracks were made by a big dog, probably several days ago when the snow first started melting and refreezing. That's why they seem bigger now than they were originally. I'm not saying they couldn't be bear tracks - that's possible, but not probable."

Miles accepted Cremeans' explanation, but muttered something under his breath about asking for a .30-'06 rifle for Christmas.

Walter Lippmann

succumbs at 85

NEW YORK (AP) — Pulitzer Prize-winning columnist Walter Lippmann, one of the most respected and influential political writers of his time, died today. He was 85.

Lippmann, who had been ailing and confined to a wheelchair, died in his Park Avenue apartment at 7:25 a.m. EST.

Only two months ago, he had been honored by Mayor Abraham D. Beame and presented the city's highest award, the Bronze Medal of Honor.

Tuskegee study suit settled

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — A multimillion dollar damage suit filed against the U.S. government as a result of the Tuskegee syphilis experiment has "for all practical purposes" been settled out of court, a federal attorney says.

U.S. Atty. Ken Vines of Montgomery added, however, "There are a few ends still to be resolved."

The class-action suit, originally seeking \$1.8 billion damages, was brought by survivors of 600 Macon County black men who were used as human guinea pigs in the federal experiment which began in 1932 and ended in 1972.

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SATURDAY

12:00 — (2-4-5) Jetsons; (6-13) These are the Days; (7) Goodtimes House-Yogi Bear; (9-10) U.S. of Archie; (12) Virginian; (8) Mister Rogers' Neighborhood; (11) Movie-Adventure.
12:30 — (2-4-5) Go-Children; (6-13) American Bandstand; (7-9-10) Fat Albert; (8) Villa Alegre.
1:00 — (2-4-5) NFL Football; (7-9-10) CBS Children's Film Festival; (8) Hodgepodge Lodge.
1:30 — (6) To Be Announced; (12) Hogan's Heroes; (13) Racing the Radial Challenge; (8) Zee Cooking School.
2:00 — (6-12-13) College Football; (7-9) Famous Classic Tales; (10) Jungle Jim; (11) Movie-Adventure; (8) Soul!
2:15 — (6-12-13) College Football.
3:00 — (7-9) NFL Pre-Game show; (8) Two-Way Street.
3:25 — (10) Five Minutes to Kick-Off.
3:30 — (7-9-10) NFL Football; (8) Hodgepodge Lodge.
4:00 — (2) Batman; (4) NFL Game of the Week; (5) World of Survival; (11) Perry Mason; (8) Sesame Street.
4:30 — (2) Batman; (4) Sale of the Century; (5) College Basketball.
5:00 — (2) Twilight Zone; (4) Bonanza; (11) Mission: Impossible; (8) Mister Rogers' Neighborhood.
5:30 — (2) Last of the Wild; (6-12-13) Wide World of Sports; (8) Wall Street Week.
6:00 — (2-4-5) News; (11) Movie-Biography; (8) What Now America?
6:30 — (2-4-5) NBC News; (7) News; (9-10) All-America Team; (8) Columbus Film Council.
7:00 — (2-4) Lawrence Welk; (5) Last of the Wild; (6) Hee Haw; (8-12) Hee Haw; (9) House that Smack Built; (10) \$25,000 Pyramid; (13) Speak to the Manager; (8) Broadcast News.
7:30 — (5) What's My Line?; (10) Animal World; (13) Positively Black.
8:00 — (2-4-5) Movie-Drama; (6) College Basketball; (7-9-10) All in the Family; (12-13) Portrait: Legend in Granite; (8) National Town Meeting.
8:30 — (7-9-10) Friends and Lovers; (11) Bewitched.
9:00 — (7-9-10) Mary Tyler Moore; (12-13) NFL Football; (11) Movie-Mystery; (8) In Performance at Wolf Trap.

9:30 — (7-10) Bob Newhart; (9) Bicentennial Ball.
10:00 — (6) NFL Football; (7-9-10) Carol Burnett; (8) They Don't Laugh at Hoboken any More.
10:30 — (11) Flash Gordon; (8) Caught in the Act.
11:00 — (2-4-5-7-9-10) News; (11) Don Kirshner's Rock Concert.
11:30 — (2) Movie-Drama; (4) Movie-Comedy; (5) Saturday Evening Post; (7) Movie-Mystery; (9) Movie-Drama; (10) Movie-Drama.
12:00 — (6) ABC News; (12) News; (13) Movie-Fantasy.
12:15 — (6) Movie-thriller; (12) Movie-Adventure.
12:30 — (11) In Session.
1:00 — (4) Movie-Comedy; (5) Movie-Drama.
1:30 — (9) Here and Now; (10) Movie-Musical.
1:45 — (6) Soul Train; (12) ABC News; (13) Movie-Science Fiction.
2:30 — (4) Movie-Puppets.
3:00 — (5) Movie-Drama.
3:30 — (10) Movie-Adventure.
4:00 — (4) Movie-Comedy.
5:00 — (5) Movie-Comedy.

SUNDAY

12:00 — (2) Christmas Special; (4) World of Survival; (6) Bowling; (7) Don Donohue; Basketball; (9) Nanny and the Professor; (10) Columbus Town Meeting; (12) Movie-Western; (11) Movie-Drama; (13) Wrestling.
12:30 — (2-4-5) Meet the Press; (7-9) NFL Pre-Game Show.
12:55 — (10) Five Minutes to Kick-Off.
1:00 — (2) Twilight Zone; (4) Bonanza; (5) Jabberwocky; (7-9-10) NFL Football; (13) Motorcycling with K.K.
1:30 — (2-5) NFL Game of the Week; (6) Issues and Answers; (13) Bill Cosby.
2:00 — (2-4-5) NFL Football; (6) Golf Highlights; (13) Movie-Thriller; (12) Feedback; (11) Movie-Biography.
2:30 — (6) College Football Bowl Preview; (12) Issues and Answers.
3:00 — (6) Wally's Workshop; (12) Movie-Drama; (8) History of the Motion Picture.
3:30 — (6) Jimmy Dean; (13) Movie-Science Fiction; (8) Thrival.
4:00 — (6) Other People, Other Places; (7-10) NFL Post-Game Show; (9) Face the Nation.
4:30 — (2-4-5) NFL Football; (6) Inner Space; (7-9-10) NBA Basketball; (8) On Aging.
5:00 — (6) Untamed World; (12) Gale Catlett; Basketball; (11) Movie-Thriller; (13) Prisoner; (8) Feeling Good.
5:30 — (6) FBI; (12) Porter Wagoner.
6:00 — (12) Lawrence Welk; (11) Movie-Thriller; (13) The Tech Experience; (8) Your Future is Now.
6:30 — (6) News; (13) New Army; (8) Ohio This Week.
7:00 — (2) Wild Kingdom; (4) Last of the Wild; (5) Bobby Goldsboro; (6) National Geographic; (7) Let's Make a Deal; (9) Impact; (10) In the Know; (12) Wild Kingdom; (8) Walsh's Animals; (11) Nashville at the Garden; (13) As Schools Match Wits.
7:30 — (2-4-5) Little Drummer Boy; (7-9) Apple's Way; (10) Tom Jones; (12) FBI; (13) Police Surgeon; (8) Fun With Crafts.
8:00 — (2-4-5) Family Theatre; (6) Sonny Comedy Revue; (11) World of Sid and Marty Krofft at Hollywood Bowl; (13) Nashville at the Garden; (8) Life Around Us.
8:30 — (7-9-10) Kojak; (12) Police Surgeon; (8) Masterpiece Theatre.
9:00 — (2-4-5) Bob Hope; (6-12-13) Movie-Drama; (11) Merv Griffin.

9:30 — (7-9-10) Mannix; (8) Firing Line.
10:00 — (2-4) NBC News Special; (5) World of Survival.
10:30 — (5-7) News; (9) Evil Touch; (10) High Road to Adventure; (11) David Susskind.
11:00 — (2-4-9-10) News; (5) Bonanza; (7) Movie-Western; (8) Black Perspective on the News.
11:15 — (10) CBS News.
11:30 — (2) Saturday Evening Post; (4) Probe: The World Around Us; (9) Movie-Western; (10) Face the Nation.
12:00 — (4) Saturday Evening Post; (5) Movie-Drama; (10) Urban League.
12:15 — (6) ABC News; (12) News; (13) Suspense Theatre.
12:30 — (6) Good News; (10) Movie-Thriller; (12) Night Gallery.
1:00 — (12) Insight.
1:30 — (4) News; (12) ABC News.
1:55 — (9) Christopher Closeup.
2:25 — (9) News.

Ohio engineers slate study of grain drying

Effectiveness of solar collectors for heating air used in drying shelled corn and soybeans will be determined by agricultural engineers at the Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center, Wooster, under a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

USDA's Agricultural Research Service (ARS) will provide \$17,320 for the one-year study.

The study is one of seven to determine the feasibility of using solar energy to supplement or replace other fuels in drying corn. Use of solar energy as a heat source would, if practical, help conserve supplies of LP gas and other fuels now used in drying grain and would reduce costs. Other studies will be carried out in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, and South Dakota. The research is supported by a grant to ARS by the National Science Foundation.

The Ohio engineers will determine the effects of weather on performance procedures needed when plastic-type collectors are used. The engineers will compare costs, rate, and uniformity of drying with solar heat and unheated air.

Dr. Harold M. Keener, agricultural engineer at the Center, will be the project manager. George H. Foster, agricultural engineer at the U.S. Grain Marketing Research Center here, will be the principal investigator and coordinate the studies.

Elaine Straley first woman to head panel

COLUMBUS — The executive committee of the State Extension Advisory Committee has elected Mrs. Elaine K. Straley, of Cedarville, as chairperson for a two-year term.

The advisory committee consists of local leaders from all parts of Ohio who advise the Ohio Cooperative Extension Service on matters related to educational programs for adults and youth. Mrs. Straley is the first woman to head the advisory group.

France ranks 2nd in farm exports

France — with only one-twelfth as much farmland as that of the United States — was the world's second largest exporter of farm products in 1973.

French farm trade totaled \$7 billion, compared to this country's \$17.7 billion.

The Farm Notebook

Cattlefeeders banquet is slated for Jan. 6

By JOHN P. GRUBER

County Extension Agent, Agriculture
The Fayette County Cattlefeeders directors made final plans earlier this week for the annual banquet which is set Monday, January 6 at Mahan Hall. The featured speaker for the banquet will be Charlie Boyles, Manager Eastern Ohio Resource Development Center, Caldwell, Ohio. Boyles is well-known as a speaker for his homespun humor and philosophy.

Last year's Cattlefeeders banquet drew 325 cattlefeeders and businessmen. The directors are planning for a similar attendance this year as tickets go on sale this week. In this day of rising prices all who attended last years banquet will be pleased to know that the price is the same for the 1975 banquet. Tickets are \$5 and are available from directors of the cattlefeeders association at the County Extension Office.

Farm Account Books at the Extension Office this week. Good news - the price is the same as last year. The Ohio Commercial Farm Account books are available in three forms: 1. The complete account book which contains the receipts and expenses section plus 5 years depreciation and inventory records - the price including cover \$3.50. 2. loose-leaf receipts and expense filler - without cover \$1.25. 3. Bound copy of the receipts and expense section \$1.25. We also have a supply of the Small Ohio Farm Account book available. These are designed primarily for small and/or part-time farm operations.

This time of year is also a good time of year to start thinking more seriously about a farm record analysis program. One such program available is the Farm Business Analysis program available through the Ohio State University and the Extension Service. The program can provide an objective evaluation of "how you are doing." It

can help to pinpoint strong and weak spots in your farm organization and management. The program will print a profit and loss summary and will point out changes which may help you increase your net income.

The program provides a financial summary, labor efficiency evaluation, crop production, summary, including cash and non-cash costs per acre, and a livestock enterprise analysis. Contact me at the Extension Office for details of participation in this program. What's the cost - \$15.00 plus about a half a day of your time.

THE 1975 FARM Tax Guides are available at no cost - at the Extension Office.

DATES TO keep in mind: January 6 - Cattlefeeder Banquet, January 15, 21 and 28 (evenings) Property Transfer and Estate Planning Workshop, January 23-Fayette County Corn-Soybean Clinic, February 5 - Fayette County Pork Producers Banquet.

Down On The Farm

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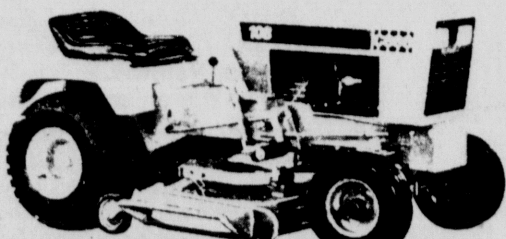
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Class party held in parlors

Good fellowship and warm congeniality combined in making most enjoyable the annual Christmas party of In His Service Class held Tuesday afternoon in Grace United Methodist Church parlors. Thirteen members assembled for the brief business meeting and entertaining yuletide program. Joining the group was the pastor, Rev. Mark Dove.

Mrs. Henry Engle, class teacher, presided. Reports were given by Mrs. Maude Bumgarner, treasurer, and Mrs. C. S. Thompson, card chairman.

It was voted to make a contribution of money for the church's Christmas baskets and to provide two poinsettias in helping to decorate the church sanctuary. Round-robin cards were circulated and signed for shut-in members.

The singing of the carol, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" opened the delightful program with Mrs. Claude

Davis, song leader, and Mrs. B. E. Kelley, accompanist. Impressively given by Mrs. Engle was the beautiful Christmas story from the Book of St. Luke. Season's sentiments were presented by Mrs. James Nilan, who read the poem "Christmas Recipe" by Evy Reis. "The Christmas Letter" by Nancy Esher, a selection from Ideals depicting the true significance of the holidays, was read by Mrs. Clarence Hackett. "Silent Night" was sung by the group, followed by a prayer.

A pleasant social hour followed and Mrs. Davis received the attractive door prize. Cleverly designed replicas of Santa's boot were the favors. Commemorating Christ's birthday a delicious cake was prepared for the party by Mrs. Gilbert Crouse. After singing "Happy Birthday" in his honor, the members were seated at colorfully decorated tables to enjoy the tempting variety of food.

Ladies Aid names officers

The New Martinsburg Ladies Aid met at the church when Mrs. Robert Bock, president, used for her opening thought, "The Road to Christmas." The nominating committee announced the following officers for 1975: President, Mrs. Bock; vice president, Mrs. Robert Ritter; secretary, Mrs. Edward Lee Carson; treasurer, Mrs. Russell Grice; press reporter, Mrs. Nathaniel Tway; flower chairman, Mrs. George Durnell; and nominating committee members are Mrs. C.F. Wilson, Mrs. Durnell and Mrs. Naomi Wing.

Members brought cookies for shut-ins and signed cards for the ill members.

"A Special Christmas" was the program title, and each present gave a Christmas reading. Mrs. Tway played a medley of holiday selections on the piano.

Refreshments were served by the officers. It was announced the January meeting will be held at the church with Mrs. Ritter as hostess.

Festive party honors Phi Beta Psi

Phi Beta Psi Sorority's annual Christmas party and initiation ceremony was held recently at the Lafayette Inn. During the social hour, pledge, associate, active and inactive members renewed friendships. President Mrs. Donald P. Woods graciously welcomed everyone to the festively decorated tables where a buffet meal was served.

The traditional candlelight ceremony led by Mrs. Don Wald initiated Mrs. Phil French, Mrs. Otis Hess, Mrs. Ron Jenkins, Mrs. John H. Roszmann, Mrs. Max Schlichter, Mrs. Dale Willis and Mrs. David Willis as new members.

The remainder of the evening was spent playing cards with prizes being awarded to Mrs. Dale Willis, Mrs. Charles Hire, Mrs. Sam Sauer, Mrs. Robert Sanderson and Mrs. Louis Baer.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. James Ward, Mrs. Frank Weade, Mrs. George Pommert and Mrs. Don Kirk.

Forest Chapter installation held on 75th anniversary

Amid an atmosphere of a birthday celebration the officers of Forest Chapter No. 122, Order of the Eastern Star, were installed for the Chapter's seventy-fifth year. The Temple was decorated for the occasion with a huge silver key in the East depicting the theme "Keys of Friendship."

Miss Arita A. Moats of Kettering, is continuing a second year as Worthy Matron with Mr. W. Harold Moats as Worthy Patron of the chapter. Mrs. Marvin E. Thornburg, Past Grand Matron, served as installing grand officer for the ceremony. Assisting with the grand installation were Mrs. Harold King, installing grand marshal; Harold McConaughy, installing grand sentinel; David Pontious, Kingston, installing grand warder; Miss Nancy Hurt, Washington C.H., installing grand organist; Marvin E. Thornburg, installing grand chaplain; Miss Carol Gaddis, Dayton, installing grand conductress; Mrs. William Meadows and Mrs. David Pontious, Kingston, installing grand marshals.

Installed along with Miss Moats were Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Thompson as associate patron and matron; Mrs. Charles L. Cunningham, secretary; Mrs. Zoe Garinger, treasurer; Miss Anne King, conductress; Mrs. Billy Howe, associate conductress; Mrs. Donald Denen, chaplain; Mrs. Jess Schlichter, marshal; Mrs. Anne Dorn, Adah; Miss Linda Waterman, Ruth; Mrs. Harold McConaughy, Esther; Mrs. Michael Simpson, Martha; Mrs. Virginia L. Moats, Electa; Mrs. Roy B. Smith, warder and Michael Simpson, sentinel.

Honored guests in attendance were Mrs. Thornburg, Mrs. Donna Junk, Frankfort Deputy Grand Matron in

District No. 23; Mrs. Georgia Powell, Grand Representative of Nova Scotia in Ohio; Mrs. Moats, Grand Representative of Texas in Ohio; and several visiting worthy matrons and patrons from other chapters. Twelve dedicated past matrons and patrons of Forest Chapter were in attendance.

Highlights of the opening session were the presentations of honorary memberships to Miss Hurt, Royal Chapter No. 29 and Miss Gaddis, Beaver Valley Chapter No. 570. During the past year the chapter was visited by the Worthy Grand Matron who presented Mrs. Elton B. Elliott her 50-year membership pin and commissioned Mrs. Moats as a Grand Representative. The chapter was inspected by the deputy grand matron and has since added eight new members. The members held a "Sunday in Church" and later enjoyed dinner together at Anderson's Restaurant.

Mrs. Walter Haines has served as social chairman during 1974 and will be continuing this coming year. She was assisted by Mrs. Cecil Rogers and other officers during the evening of installation. Miss Gaddis, Mrs. King and Mr. Walter Haines assisted with registration and chair committees.

The reception table was beautiful with white linen and purple and crystal appointments. Individual decorated cakes, ice cream, mints and nuts with coffee were served during the social hour.

Attending for the evening were members and guests from Washington C.H., Kettering, Circleville, Williamsport, Dayton, Frankfort, Kingston, Jeffersonville, New Holland, Middletown and Bloomingburg.

Holiday motif prevails

Mrs. J.O. Wilson was hostess when the Staunton United Methodist Women assembled in her home for a carry-in noon luncheon. Holiday cloths were on the tables and guests were presented poinsettia corsages.

During the business meeting, Mrs. Alice Bush called the meeting to order. The Christmas Story was read by Mrs. Donald Pemberton, assisted by Mrs. Lois Harper, who read "Christmas In Other Lands." Mrs. Pemberton also gave reports, and the 14 members present answered roll call by telling the meaning of Christmas to them.

Jenny Adams Circle meets

Mrs. Albert Caplinger was hostess when the Jenny Adams Circle of First Baptist Church met. Mrs. Frank Reno and Mrs. Emily Coberly were co-hostesses. Decorations were of a holiday theme and gifts were placed under the tree for the gift exchange.

Mrs. Robert West read a reading written by Peter Marshall. For roll call, members gave a Christmas thought or verse. Mrs. Olive Brookover presented devotions by reading the Christmas Story from the Book of St. Luke, and the "least coin" and love offerings were taken. Cards were signed for the ill.

Mrs. Eugene Thompson presented the program entitled "Keeping Christ in Christmas." She was assisted by Mrs. Myrtle Swayne, Mrs. Ralph Wolford, Mrs. John Baker, Mrs. West, Mrs. Reno and Mrs. Thompson, who had stars with thoughts inscribed. They hung them on the tree, and carols were sung.

A dessert course was served to 17 members and Mrs. John Drummond and children from Mount Sterling, who were guests.

A work session is planned at the church at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 165.

It was announced that at 10 a.m. Dec. 16, the members will meet in the home of Mrs. Walter Parrett to prepare 29 cheer plates for shut-ins.

Mrs. Parrett presented the program entitled, "What You Bring on Christmas." A gift exchange followed.

Those present were Mrs. Alice Bush, Mrs. Ralph Barger, Mrs. Henry Simmons, Mrs. Maude Shubert, Mrs. Pemberton, Mrs. J.O. Wilson, Mrs. Harry Hayslip, Mrs. Parrett, Mrs. Elza Smith, Mrs. Florence Bethards, Mrs. Willard Allen, Mrs. Homer Wilson, Mrs. Harper and Mr. Wilson.

The next meeting is planned for Jan. 14, with Mrs. Florence Bethards as hostess.

Youth Activities

BOY SCOUTS

"Troop Attention" was announced by Doug Binegar as he opened the meeting of Boy Scout Troop 67, and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Dannie Maxie gave the Scout Oath, followed by Mark Hoppes with the Scout Laws.

We were told that next week we will have a fireman from the Jeffersonville Fire House as our guest. He will be there to help interested Boy Scouts with the Fireman's Merit Badge. John Miltstead then read to the group the requirements to get that badge.

A special note to the people in the Pioneer Patrol: all are to be at the paper drive the first Saturday in January.

The recreation consisted of two games: Panthers and Pioneers, and Steal the Bacon. The Panthers won both games.

Mike Toppins, scribe

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, DEC. 15
Fayette Grandmothers Club Christmas supper, party and gift exchange at 5:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. L.W. Herbst.

MONDAY, DEC. 16
Twenty Club meets with Mrs. Charles Pfersick at 8 p.m. for Christmas party and gift exchange.

Burnett-Ducey VFW Auxiliary 496 Christmas dinner and party for members and families at 6:30 p.m. Covered dish dinner. Bring own table service.

Dill Circle No. 10 of Grace United Methodist Church meets at 8 p.m. in the home of Miss Marian Moore. Gift exchange.

Mothers' Circle meets at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. James Kiger. Program by MTHS Folksingers.

Women of Saint Colman Catholic Church Christmas party and potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. in St. Colman Hall. Entertainment and gift exchange, with officers in charge. Thanks to all who helped make the bazaar a success.

TUESDAY, DEC. 17
Christian Women's Fellowship at First Christian Church at 7:30 p.m.

Ann Judson Circle of First Baptist Church meets with Mrs. Eugene Alkire, 526 Pearl St., at 7:30 p.m.

Jeffersonville chapter, OES, meets at 8 p.m. in Masonic Temple for Christmas party and \$1.00 gift exchange. Carry-in sandwiches and salads.

Greene Township Homemakers Club noon luncheon and gift exchange in the home of Mrs. Everett Page, 1117 Golfview Dr.

Prayer breakfast at 6:45 a.m. in South Side Church of Christ. For students of MTHS and WSHS students grades nine through 12.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 18
Posy Garden Club Christmas dinner and gift exchange (handcrafted items), Wardell Party Home at noon.

D of A meets in FRW Hall, W. Elm St., at 6:30 p.m. for carry-in supper, Christmas party and \$2.00 gift exchange.

Mrs. Robert Fries
WOMEN'S PAGE EDITOR
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Maple Grove United Methodist Women Christmas party and gift exchange at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Harold Craven. Bring cookies and candy.

Washington Garden Club carry-in dinner and \$2.00 gift exchange at 11:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Robert H. Wilson.

Loyal Daughters

A turkey dinner and all the trimmings was enjoyed by the Loyal Daughters of First Christian Church when they assembled in the dining room of the church for the annual holiday carry-in and party. Tables were festive with holiday decorations and each place was marked by small candles and miniature testaments.

Mrs. Eugene Cowman gave the invocation and the committee was composed of Mrs. Ted Merritt, Mrs. Ruth Jenkins and Mrs. Esther Edwards. Mrs. Orpha Willis gave the opening prayer and Mrs. Edwards conducted the business session. Reports were made and cards signed for shut-ins. Mrs. Zoe Follis and Mrs. Merritt will prepare and deliver cheer plates to four shut-ins of the church.

Cash donations were made to the A.C.P. Bowling Green University fund, Grant and Jane Ann Hammond, missionaries in Ontario, Canada, Prayer Breakfast fund, and in lieu of a gift exchange, money will be sent to the Mountain Mission School at Grundy, Va.

For the program, Mrs. Merritt read the Christmas Story, a piano solo entitled "Chestnuts Roasting on an Open Fire" by Leslie Harrison, a vocal solo by Denise Matthews, with Susan Brown accompanist. Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Follis both read poems. The carol sing by the group was enjoyed with Susan Brown and Cheryl White as the accompanists.

Mrs. Kathryn Morgan and Mrs. John Harrison were guests.

Mrs. Chester Clay of 912 E. Market St., has returned home from Laurel, Md., where she spent a week visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Clay and family.

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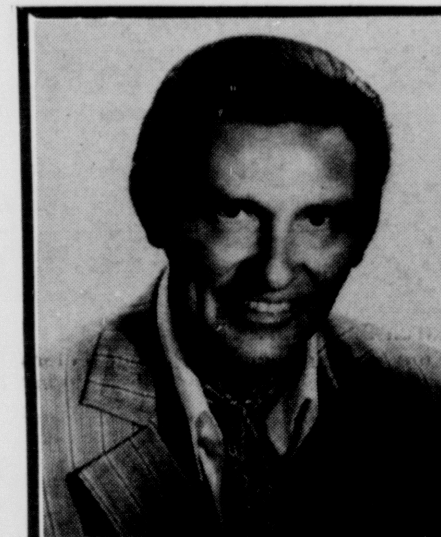
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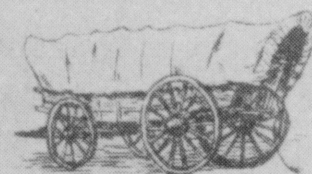


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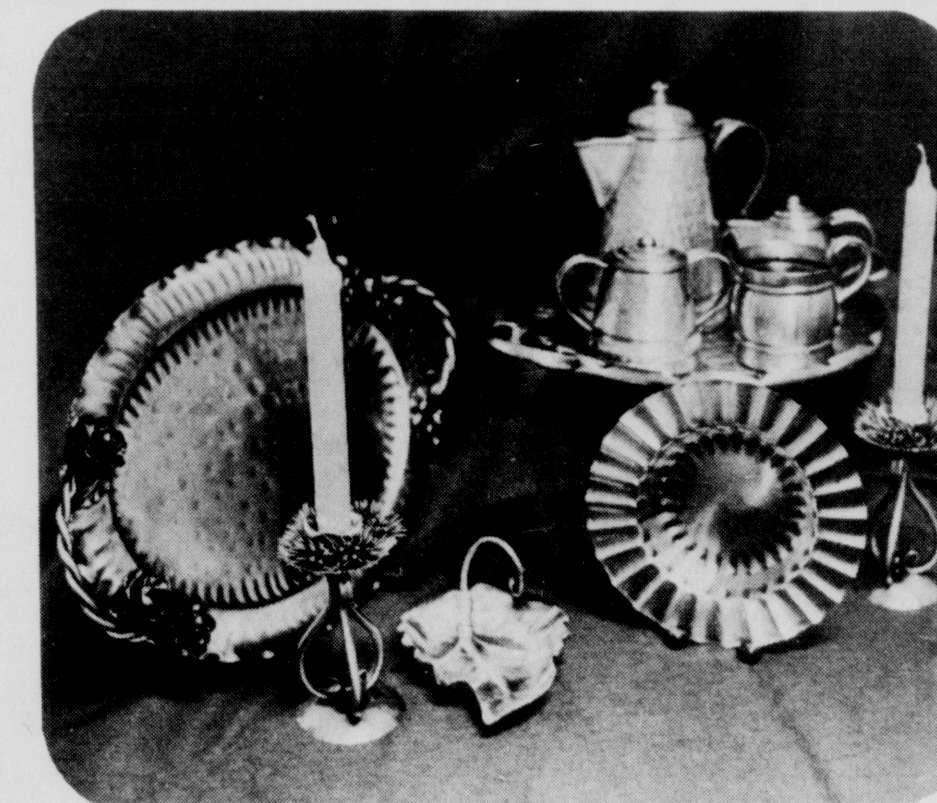
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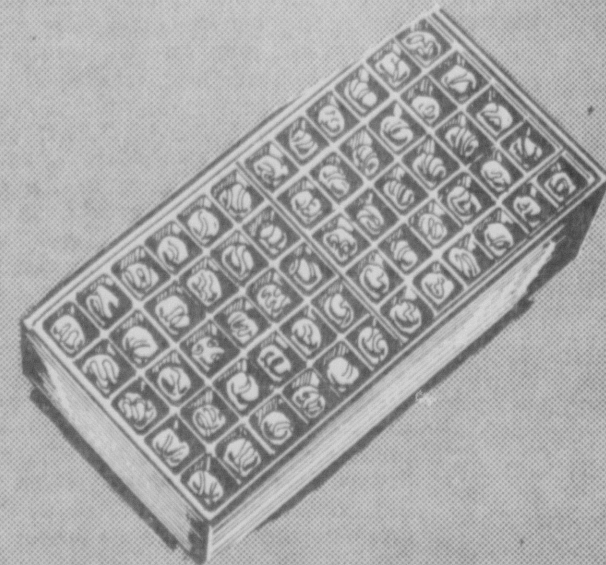
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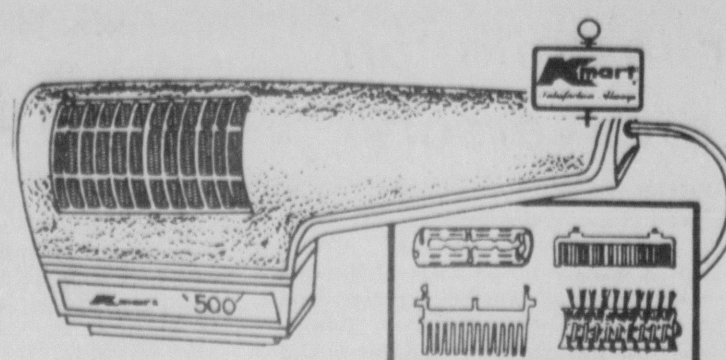


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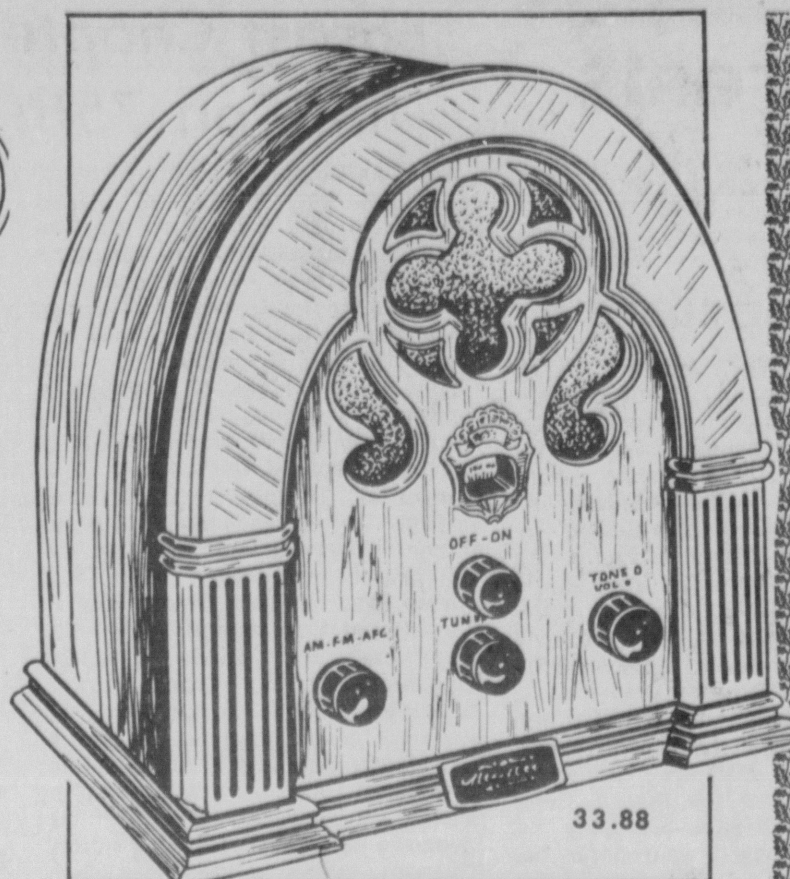
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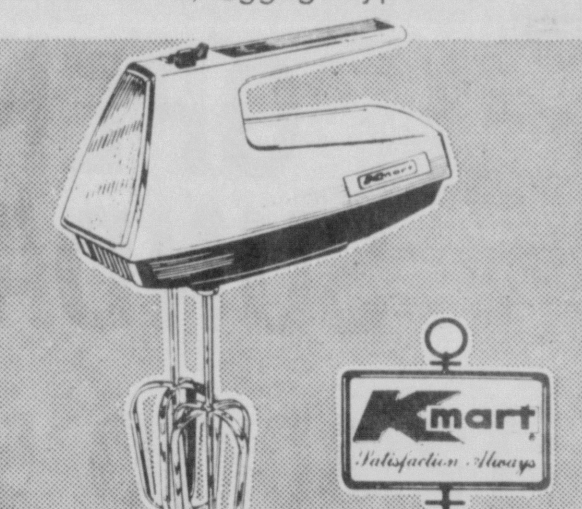


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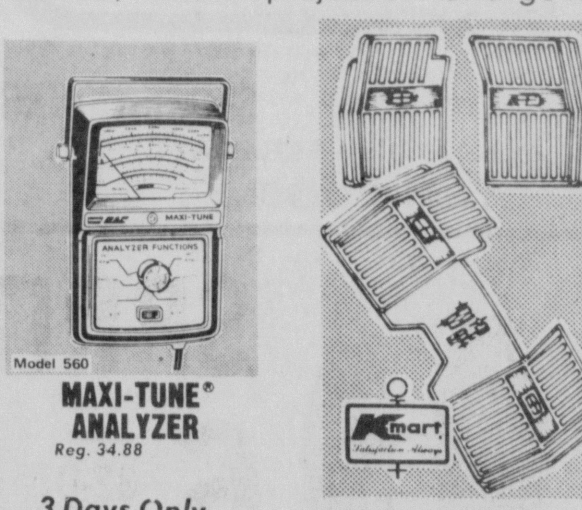


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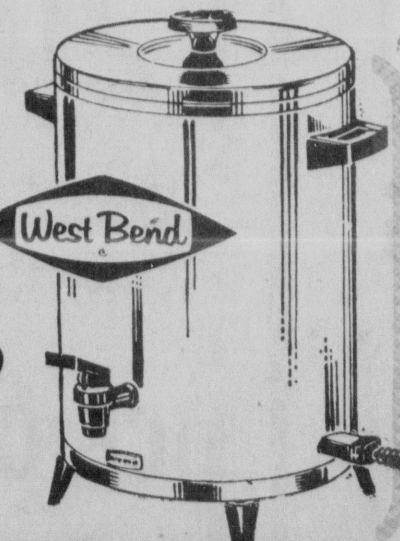
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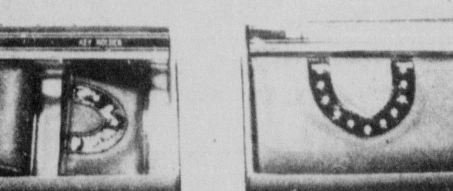
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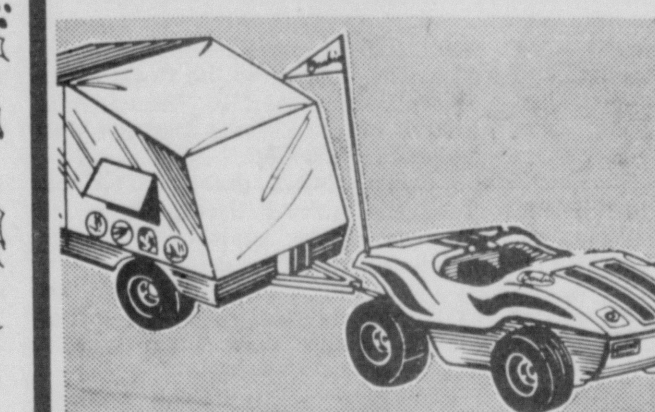
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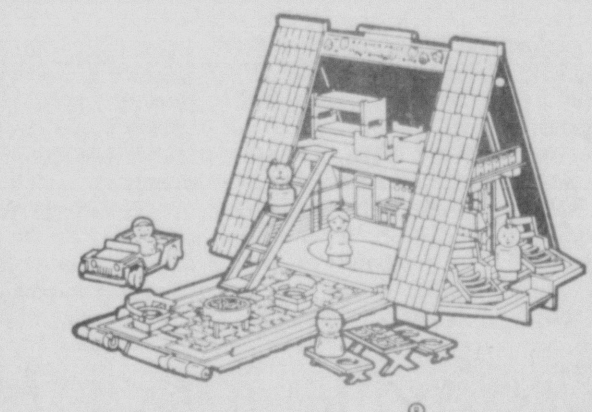


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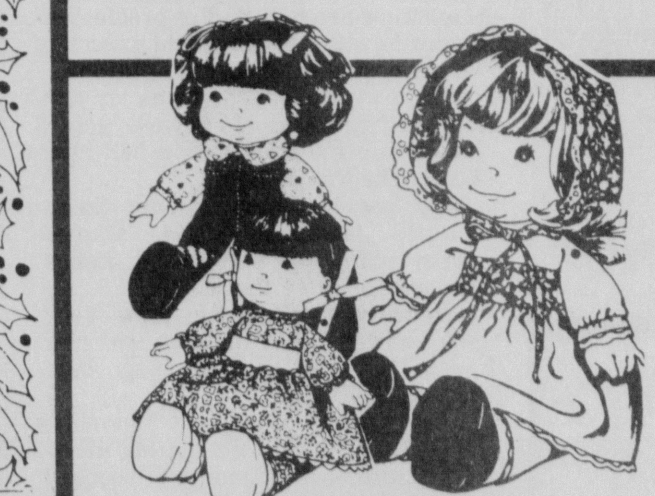


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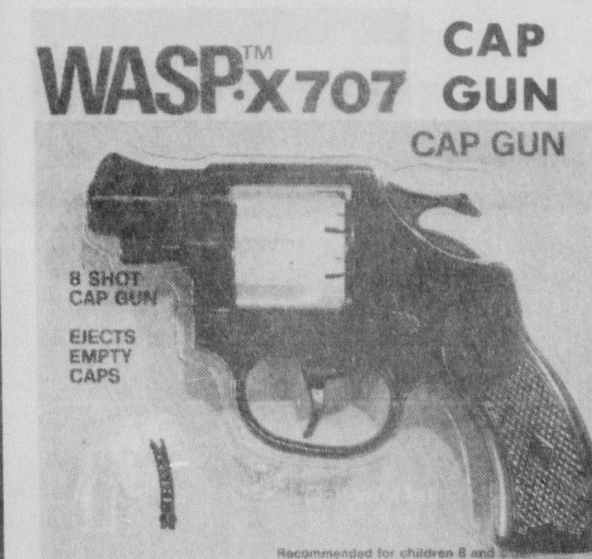


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Lions take first SCOL win, 69-66

BY LARRY WATTS
Record-Herald Sports Editor

Washington found out just how much the home court and home crowd support can help determine the outcome of a game, Friday night. Playing their first home contest of the season, the Blue Lions silenced Unioto for nearly the last four minutes in pulling out a spectacular come-from-behind 69-66 victory.

Not only did the victory give the Lions their second win in five outings, but Court House evened its record at 1-1 in the South Central Ohio League. With the defeat, the Shermans are still searching for their first SCOL triumph with a 0-3 mark and 1-3 slate overall.

For the better part of the first three periods, Unioto held the upper hand on the scoreboard, but the Lions remained within striking distance. The combination of Chuck Byrd's smooth shooting, the rebounding of Doug Phillips and the fourth quarter performance of Craig Shaffer allowed Washington to out-score the visitors 19-9 in the final stanza and key the victory.

While the remainder of the Lions were having trouble finding their shooting eyes, Byrd helped his squad keep close by popping in 18 points in the

second half. Although he did not start because illness forced him to miss the last two days of school, Byrd came off the bench and led all scorers with 24 points for the night.

Despite being out-manned by the Tanks on the boards, Phillips fought hard to pick off 13 caroms. Phillips canned 21 points as he and Byrd combined for all of the Lions' 16 points in the third canto.

Shaffer, the senior co-captain who has been suffering from a badly pulled thigh muscle, started to show signs of his old form in the final frame. In scoring 13 points, it was a jump shot by Shaffer with 39 seconds to play that tied the score at 66-66.

After trailing for most of the game, Washington received a big break in the opening of the final eight minutes. With 7:41 left in the game, Byrd cashed in on a layup. As Byrd was fouled on the drive, a fight broke out at midcourt between Unioto's fiery senior guard, Steve Frey, and the Lions' freshman center, John Denen.

With both players being ejected from the game, the fight worked to the advantage of the Lions. Although Washington had lost some of its rebounding potential, the Shermans had lost their floor general. Without their floor leader, the Tanks had to play with one of their forwards operating as a guard, a move which cost them eight turnovers in the fourth quarter.

After Frey left the game, the Shermans managed to holdoff the Lions until there was 3:54 left in the game. At this time, Scott Brumfield sank a foul shot to give Unioto a 66-60 margin, but this would be the last point of the evening for the Ross Countians.

With a pair of free throws by Shaffer and a steal by Phillips, Washington was

down 66-64 with 3:04 remaining. However, the tying bucket seemed to be eluding Court House as shot after shot kept bouncing off the iron.

Finally, Shaffer stole the ball from Jeff Throckmorton and drove down for his tying jump shot with 39 seconds left in the game. Shaffer was fouled after the shot and he made the first free throw for a 67-66 Washington lead. His second free throw missed, but Washington controlled the rebound and the game for the remaining time. Unioto had to resort to fouling Byrd, who clamly sank two free throws to ice the contest with five seconds to play.

Unioto's 6-foot-8 center Greg Alcorn, who spent several minutes on the bench in foul trouble, led the Shermans with 16 points. Greg Anderson pumped in 14 points. Throckmorton and Pat Kerns chipped in 13 and 10 points, respectively.

With the considerable height advantage, the Shermans out-rebounded the Lions 45-34. Alcorn topped all rebounders for the night with 14.

For one of the few times this season, turnovers worked in favor of the Blue Lions. While the Tanks' eight turnovers in the fourth period raised their total to

21, Washington lost the ball just 10 times.

Both teams suffered through a poor night in the shooting department. The Lions netted 27 of 71 attempts from the field for 38 per cent and 15 of 26 foul shots. Unioto dropped in 24 of 60 field attempts for 40 per cent and 18 of 25 free throws.

"If we can shoot that poor and still win, I will be happy," remarked Washington coach Gary Shaffer. "I think this game will serve as a confidence builder for us."

If Shaffer is right, the Lions will be needing this confidence as they head into Tuesday's game at Greenfield. The Tigers are presently 4-1 on the season and 2-1 in the SCOL.

Lion jayvees blast Tanks

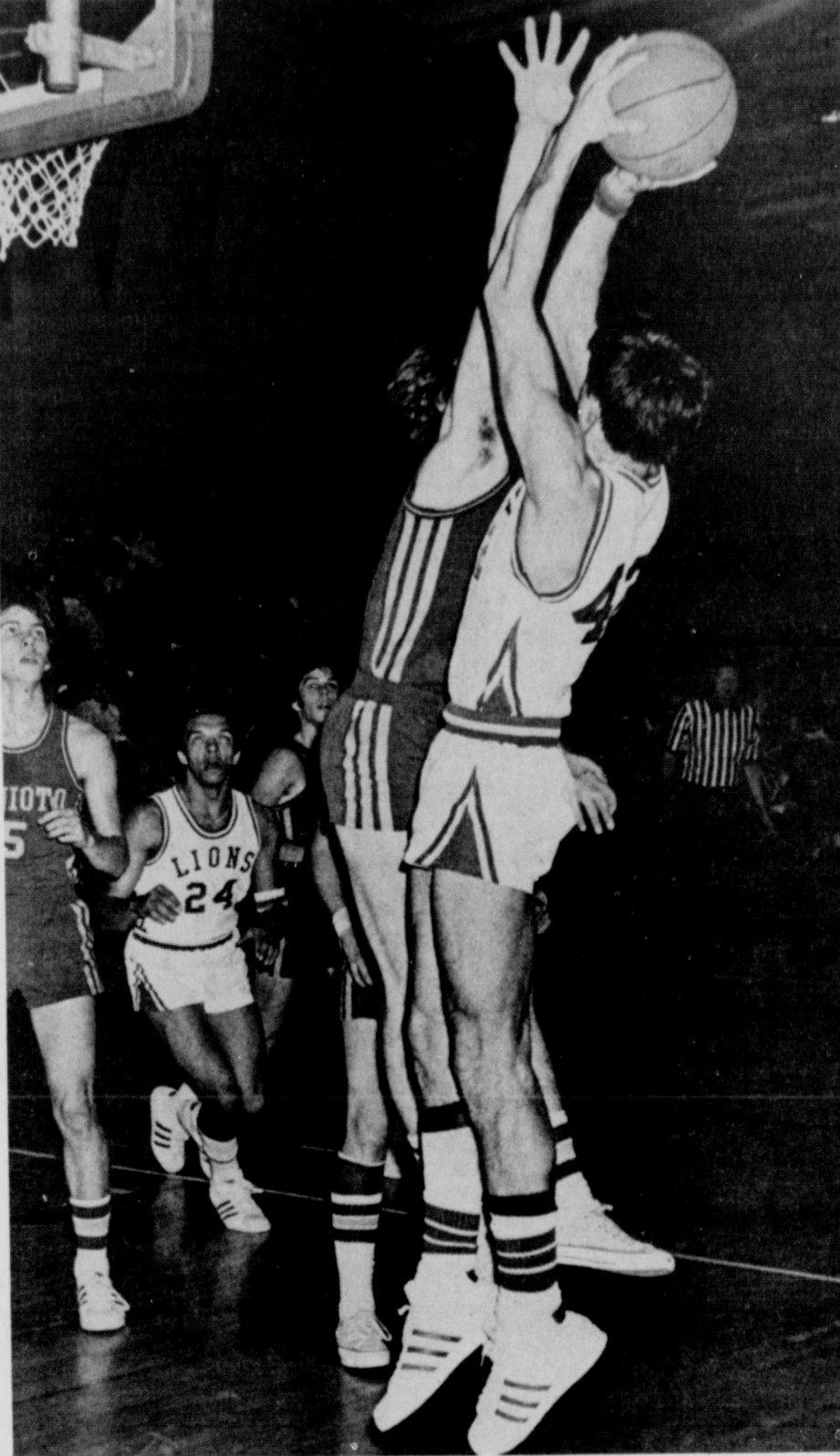
With 11 players hitting the scoring column, Washington's reserve team pounded the Unioto jayvees 71-37 in the preliminary contest.

After leading 30-17 at halftime, the Lions came back and destroyed the Shermans in the second half. Washington out-scored Unioto 19-6 in the third period and 22-14 in the final frame.

Three players hit double figures for the winners. Sam McClendon was the top scorer with 12 points. Mark Burke tossed in 11 and Tony Tyree added 10 points.

With 13 points, Steve Uhrig was the only player to hit double figures for Unioto.

Washington's reserve team is now 2-3 for the season and 1-1 in the South Central Ohio League. Unioto's record drops to 0-3 in the league and 0-4 overall.



LOOKING FOR TWO — Washington's John Denen attempts to let a shot fly over the outstretched hand of an unidentified Unioto defender during Friday night's action. The Lions came from behind to win their home opener of the season, 69-66.

(Jeff Henry Photo)

SPORTS

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Host teams lead tournaments

There's no place like home for the holidays ... and there's no place like home for the holiday basketball tournaments, either.

The host team more often than not wins these homegrown "classics"—and that's the way this weekend seems to be turning out. The trend was obvious in the opening round of five tournaments Friday night.

—In the Marshall Memorial

Invitational, Marshall whipped Long Island University 90-79 in overtime and plowed into a meeting against Oral Roberts in tonight's finals. Oral Roberts whipped Idaho State 59-55 in its opener.

—Tennessee defeated Navy 86-59 and charged into the finals of the Volunteer Classic against Harvard, a surprise 77-76 victor over Cincinnati.

—Arizona, the nation's 17th-ranked

team, and Arizona State headed toward a meeting tonight in the finals of the Fiesta Bowl Classic at Tucson, Ariz. Arizona whipped Illinois 78-66 and State defeated Kansas State 80-69.

—Kansas, No. 9, defeated Fordham 78-74 and gained the finals of its Jayhawk Classic against Washington, which defeated Temple 54-46.

—And Utah overwhelmed Army 109-84, gaining the final round of the Utah Classic against West Virginia, 82-80 winner over Weber State.

Elsewhere, sixth-ranked Southern Cal turned back Nevada-Reno 97-84 and No. 18 Oregon whipped Nevada-Las Vegas 94-77.

Marshall, led by Kenny Hurst, fought from behind to beat LIU in their tense, overtime struggle. Hurst fired in five of his 22 points in the overtime.

Led by sophomore Anthony Roberts, Oral Roberts jumped off to a 31-25 halftime lead and was never headed. Roberts poured in 19 points and hauled down 17 rebounds. Idaho State fought back to within two points twice in the second half, once at 33-31 and again in the final minute of the game.

Bernard King scored 30 points to help Tennessee beat Navy. Harvard victimized Cincinnati on a last-minute field goal by guard Jonas Honick.

Arizona State built an 11-point lead and then used inside muscle and the fast break to coast past Kansas State. Al Fleming and Bob Elliott combined for 27 second-half points to lead Arizona's victory.

Kansas broke loose with a barrage of late free throws, nine by Roger Morningstar, and finally turned back stubborn Fordham. Undeclared Washington, after its 16-point lead was cut to four, utilized a five-point outburst by Clarence Ramsey to take Temple.

Southern Cal whipped Nevada-Reno behind Gus Williams' 17 points.

Circleville leads league with win over McClain

Circleville gained sole possession of first place in the South Central Ohio League by downing Greenfield 71-66, Friday night. In other league action, Hillsboro defeated Wilmington 65-50.

Both of the Tiger teams shot over 50 per cent from the field, but McClain's chances seemed to slip away when Steve Willett and Steve Harvey had both fouled out of the game with three minutes left to play.

Led by Perry Hoskins with 17 points, four players hit double figures for Circleville. Biff Bumgarner added 16, while Harold Reed and George Moore each had 14.

Jeff Holsinger led McClain with 16 points. Bill Flynn followed with 14 and Harvey had 11.

With the victory, Circleville is now 6-0 for the year and 3-0 in the league. McClain is 4-1 for the season and 2-1 in the SCOL.

Even without Kevin Bailey, who had an injured ankle, the Indians still had little trouble with the Hurricane. Al McKenzie led Hillsboro with 18 points, while Andy Copeland had 14 for the losers.

Hillsboro is now 3-1 for the season and 2-1 in the league. Wilmington falls to a record of 0-3 overall and 0-2 in the SCOL.

Box scores

CIRCLEVILLE (71) — Bumgarner (5-6-16); Hoskins (8-1-17); Mancini (1-0-2); Reed (5-4-14); Moore (5-4-14); McCoy (2-0-4); and Spangler (1-2-4). Total (27-17-71).

GREENFIELD (66) — Harvey (4-3-11); Willett (2-0-4); McCoy (4-0-8); Stewart (1-0-2); Barr (5-1-11); Holsinger (8-0-16); and Flynn (5-4-14). Total (29-8-66).

SCORING BY QUARTERS:
Circleville 15 18 17 21—71
Greenfield 9 18 22 17—66
Reserve Game: Circleville 46, Greenfield 39.

HILLSBORO (65) — Sharkey (3-2-8); M. Fuller (3-3-9); Seeling (2-3-7); Wilson (1-0-2); Zink (3-2-8); Burns (1-2-4); McKenzie (7-4-18); and T. Fuller (3-3-9). Total (23-19-65).

WILMINGTON (50) — Achtermann (1-1-3); Crowe (1-0-2); Berlin (2-0-4); Burns (1-0-2); Hart (1-3-5); Earley (0-2-2); Copeland (7-0-14); B. Williams (4-4-12); and G. Williams (3-0-6). Total (20-10-50).

SCORING BY QUARTERS:
Wilmington 12 11 7 20—50
Hillsboro 14 20 14 17—65
Reserve Game: Wilmington 55, Hillsboro 38.

WFL future gloomy, Origer believes

NEW YORK (AP)—Tom Origer, who owns a World Football League franchise, was talking about the league's problems. "I think it has a less than 50-50 chance of surviving for a second year," he said.

Origer, other WFL owners and potential investors are gathered here for two days of league meetings. They conclude today.

Spurs thump Memphis

By The Associated Press

Bob Bass, who was Memphis general manager Friday but becomes San Antonio coach today, had no problem of divided loyalties Friday night when the Sounds hosted the Spurs.

"There's no question, I was for San Antonio," said Bass. "A guy who gets a chance to come back with a ball club like this had to be happy."

Bass got his wish as the Spurs thumped Memphis 118-94. George Gervin scored 26 points and James Silas added 18 for the winners.

Elsewhere in the ABA, New York dumped Utah 100-85, Indiana trimmed Kentucky 114-108 and San Diego beat Virginia 91-79.

Bass, who has coached at Memphis, Denver and Florida among his many ABA positions, was named to succeed Tom Nissalke, fired in an apparent front office dispute. Nissalke is talking with his lawyer and plans a press conference Monday to tell his side of the story.

Buffalo tops N.Y. Knicks

By The Associated Press

When it comes to poise, you can't beat Jack Ramsay's boys.

"I thought it was a tremendous comeback," the Buffalo coach said after his team bounced back from an 11-point deficit in the fourth period to beat the New York Knicks 108-104 Friday night.

The Braves were losing 95-84 midway through the fourth period before accelerating and putting the brakes on the Knicks. Buffalo outscored New York 17-2, climbed into the driver's seat and drove away.

"We're really a poised team now," said Buffalo's Ken Charles. "When we were down by 11 points, we had a timeout and talked about it. We knew we weren't running and we weren't getting the shots we wanted."

"We got a couple of easy shots ... toughened up on defense a little more. We hit a few more and there it was."

Bob McAdoo, their big gun with 42 points and 23 rebounds, later hit two foul shots for Buffalo's winning points. Jack Marin contributed 21 points to the Buffalo attack. Walt Frazier led the Knicks with 22 points and Earl Monroe added 20.

In the other NBA games, the Washington Bullets stopped the Boston Celtics 108-99; the Chicago Bulls ripped the New Orleans Jazz 109-76; the Kansas City-Omaha Kings turned back the Detroit Pistons 88-84; the Phoenix Suns nipped the Cleveland Cavaliers 85-84; the Philadelphia 76ers trimmed the Milwaukee Bucks 93-89, and the Los Angeles Lakers whipped the Seattle SuperSonics 109-93.

Mobile, Ala. The tradition-filled Rose, Orange, and Cotton Bowls are on New Year's Day with the Sugar Bowl the night before. All match major colleges and universities shooting for national prestige.

But smaller schools with outstanding records dominated today's action.

The Camellia Bowl, climax of the NCAA College Division championship playoffs, matched two teams that concentrate on a ball control, grind-it-out offense.

Central Michigan took an 11-game winning streak into the championship game. The Chippewas lost only their first game of the season and that was against Kent State, a major school. Delaware, 12-1, lost only to another big school, Temple.

Sophomore tailback Walt Hodges, who has gained 100 or more yards in 10 consecutive games and totaled 1,581 for the season, was Central Michigan's chief ground weapon. Quarterback Mike Frankowiak passed for more than 1,000 yards and nine touchdowns while rushing for 457 and 13 scores.

Delaware displayed two 1,000-yard rushers—Vern Roberts and Nate Beasley, against a weakened Central Michigan defense that played without its top lineman, end Mark Bennett, who underwent knee surgery earlier in the week.

The NAIA title game matched two opposites—Texas A&I's explosive offense against Henderson State's stingy defense.

A&I, 12-0, averaged almost 450 yards per game with senior Don Hardeman grinding out 1,426 yards and freshman Larry Collins adding 1,308—both accounting for 31 touchdowns. Quarterback Richard Ritchie completed 80 passes for 1,248 yards and also rushed for 480 yards.

State's defense surrendered only six touchdowns all season. The Reddies yielded an average of 164.8 yards per game during the season and in the semifinal playoff, Henderson yielded only five yards net offense to Elon College.

On offense, State depended on sophomore tailback Joe Henderson, who scored 10 touchdowns and gained 1,287 yards.

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NFL teams fighting for pride

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer
Except for the St. Louis Cardinals and Washington Redskins, this is "pride week" in the National Football League.

The Cards and 'Skins are vying for the one remaining division championship, the National Conference East, with the loser of the duel settling for the NFC's wild-card playoff berth. But for the rest of the league, nothing is riding on the 14th week of action except perhaps a winning or break-even season, maybe a slightly better position in the final standings, possibly a push toward next year's salary negotiations...and a lot of pride.

St. Louis and Washington are tied atop the NFC East, each at 9-4. A few weeks ago, the Cardinals appeared to have a lock on the title, leading the Redskins by three games and, as recently as three weeks ago, needing just one more victory to wrap it up.

But the Cards, who blew out to 7-0 record in the first half of the season, have come upon hard times, losing their last two games and four of their last six. Conversely, the Redskins have won five of their last six to turn a runaway into a dogfight.

Now it comes down to Sunday's two major games, the Cards vs. the New York Giants in St. Louis and the Redskins vs. Chicago in Washington.

If the Cardinals win—and they're seven-point favorites—they'll take the title no matter what Washington does since they beat the 'Skins in both meetings this year.

But if St. Louis ties or loses and the Redskins whip Chicago—they're 10-point favorites—it'll be Washington that takes the title.

Whichever team wins the NFC East will open the playoffs Saturday, Dec. 21 in Minnesota against the Vikings, champs of the Central Division. The wild-card team will play in Los Angeles Sunday, Dec. 22 against the Rams, who took the Western crown.

The American Conference playoff setup was decided last weekend when Miami took the Eastern title and the Pittsburgh Steelers won the Central Division. The Dolphins, gunning for an unprecedented third straight Super Bowl title, play the AFC West-winning Raiders in Oakland on Dec. 21 and the Buffalo Bills, wild-card winners in the conference, are at Pittsburgh the following day.

In two afternoon games today, Cincinnati was at Pittsburgh and Minnesota visited Kansas City. Tonight, Dallas plays at Oakland.

Along with the Giants-Cards and Bears-Redskins games, Sunday's

season wrapups have Green Bay at Atlanta, New England at Miami, Detroit at Philadelphia, the New York Jets at Baltimore, Cleveland at Houston, Buffalo at Los Angeles, Denver at San Diego and New Orleans at San Francisco.

Perhaps best indicative of the "pride" factor present in some of Sunday's games are the contests involving Houston and Denver.

The Oilers are favored for only the second time this season, the other time when they opened the campaign against San Diego.

They beat the Chargers in that opener, then the roof caved in, the Oilers lost their next five in a row and some Houston fans began muttering about winding up with a third straight 1-13 season.

Since then, though, Houston has won five of six and takes a 6-7 record into the game against Cleveland, a team the Oilers never have beaten and a team which, until this year, had never finished last.

A victory by the Oilers and a loss by Cincinnati would put Houston and the Bengals in an AFC Central Division secondplace tie at 7-7, but Houston would technically end up in second since it whipped Cincinnati in both games this year.

This year, though, is of only secondary importance, as far as Houston guard Ron Saul is concerned. "I just hope the fans are there to support us and see the Houston Oilers beat the Cleveland Browns for the first time," he says. "You have to go out with a win to start it for next year, and all I can say is, 'Look out Cleveland' and look out next year."

Denver's Broncos are locked into second place in the AFC West but the standings, in their case, are less important now than their record. They can wind up their best season ever by beating San Diego. The Broncos take a 7-5-1 record into the finale. Last year

they finished at 7-5-2, and that was their first winning season ever.

The game will also be a showcase for two probable postseason award-winning running back, Denver has Otis Armstrong, who has all but locked up the league rushing title with his 1,265 yards, 201 ahead of his closest challenger. San Diego's got Don Woods, perhaps the strongest Rookie of the Year candidate. The Chargers picked him up for the \$100 waiver fee from Green Bay when the Packers cut him and he's slashed his way for 1,057 yards.

Several teams besides Houston will be gunning for .500 seasons—the New York Jets, who have won five in a row and are hoping the second-half resurgence can convince veteran quarterback Joe Namath to stick around; the Philadelphia Eagles, who believe they've found their own quarterback sensation in Mike Boryla, and the Green Bay Packers, who found their quarterback, John Hadl, in midseason.

And for the Giants, the Baltimore Colts and the Atlanta Falcons, tied for the league's worst record at 2-11 apiece, the only thing left is the No. 1 selection in next January's college draft—and the Giants don't even have that, having traded away the pick in midseason to get quarterback Craig Morton from Dallas.

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Flyers beat Flames, 3-2 in NHL clash

By BOB GREENE

AP Sports Writer

Rick MacLeish was just standing there minding his own business, which is why the Philadelphia Flyers are winners.

The Flyers defeated the Atlanta Flames 3-2 in the only National Hockey League game scheduled Friday night. In the World Hockey Association, Edmonton edged Minnesota 5-4 and Toronto needed an overtime to slip past Cleveland 7-6.

With the Flames a man short, MacLeish was standing alongside the Atlanta net as Joe Watson slapped the puck towards the goal. Watson missed, but MacLeish was in the right place.

"I was to the side of the net and the defenseman was in front of the net," MacLeish said. "I tipped it in out of the air."

Curt Bennett had sent Atlanta out front 1-0 in the first period when he gathered in a rebound and scored while Philadelphia was a man short. Reggie Leach, who has scored 12 times in the Flyers' last 10 games, tied up the contest.

Buster Harvey's backhand shot just 36 seconds into the second period was matched by Philadelphia's Bob Kelley, setting the stage for MacLeish's winning goal with 93 seconds remaining in the game.

Paul Dietzel out as S.C. director

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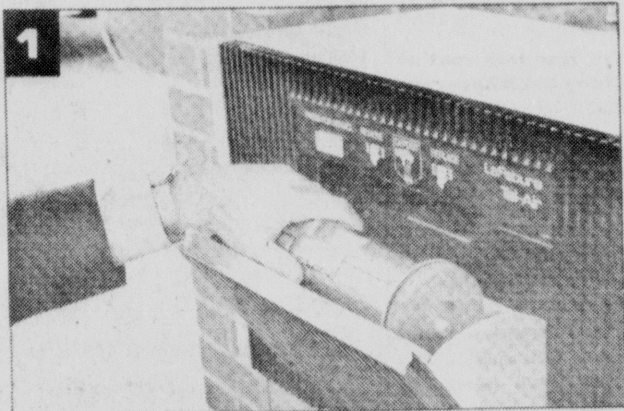


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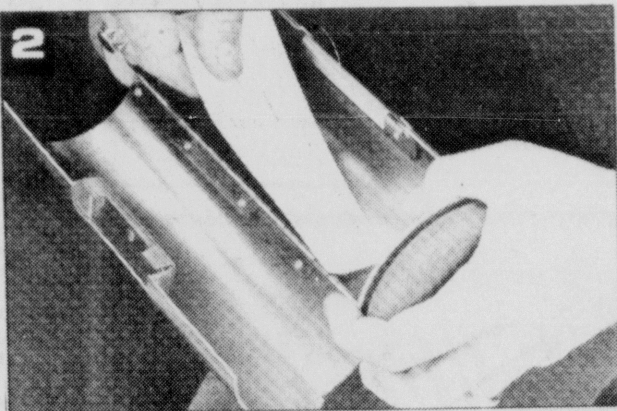
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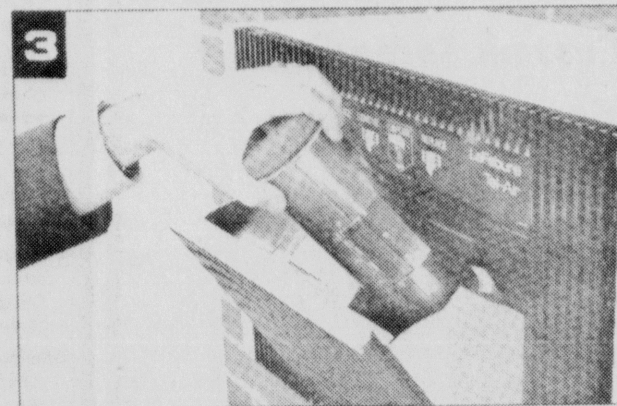
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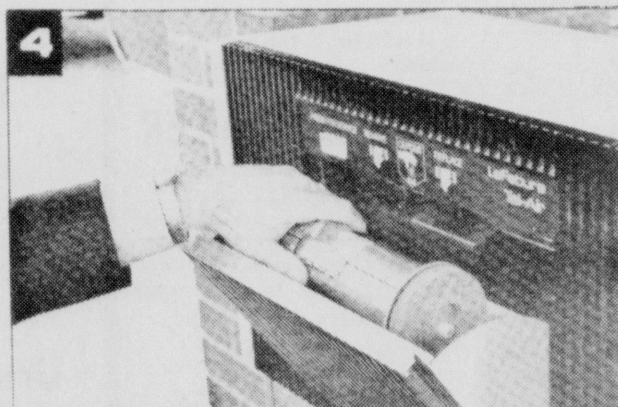
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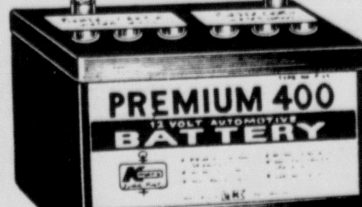
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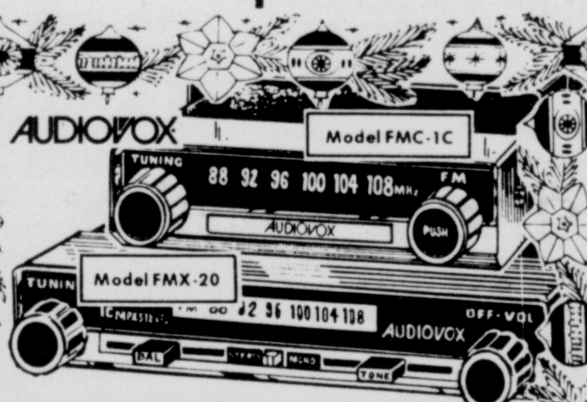
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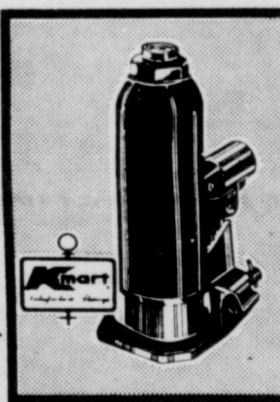
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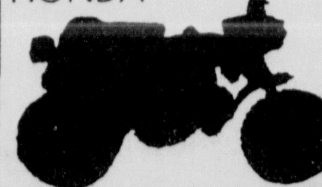
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The bidding:

East	South	West	North
3♠	3 NT	Pass	4♠
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Opening lead — Seven of spades.

This was played nationwide in the American Contract Bridge League Charity game Nov. 29. It illustrates the importance of using the opponents' bids against them in the play of the hand.

At matchpoints North should pass three no trump or bid six clubs facing partner's bid of five. However, the significance of the hand is in South's handling of the club suit in any contract.

Whether in three no trump, five clubs, a club slam or a no-trump slam, 12 tricks are

available if the club suit is played correctly.

East's pre-empt should warn declarer that the normal play of the club suit — finessing the jack and playing for a split — is unlikely to succeed. At any rate nothing can be lost by leading the queen of clubs unless west has the singleton king. When West covers with the king and South drops the nine of clubs, South can either play the ace, hoping for a drop of the ten and six, or return to his hand for a second finesse.

Those in no trump have a definite advantage. They can play three rounds of diamonds and two rounds of hearts to find West with five cards in those suits. Adding this to the seven spades he should have for his bid, 12 of West's cards are known to be other than clubs, and his nine of clubs must be a singleton.

Even those who are in a club contract and must play the clubs immediately should reach the same conclusion in light of West's pre-empt. To make a three-level pre-empt the hand should contain a singleton — which is more likely to be in clubs than any other suit.

Declarers who returned to their hand and finessed the clubs a second time scored a crucial 12th trick.

Note that if declarer leads a low club and finesses the jack on the first round, avoiding a club loser becomes impossible.

Winners Tuesday at the Washington Inn were Bruce Strickling and Mrs. Charles Fabb first with 47, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wright second with 41, and Dr. and Mrs. K.K. Burris third with 40. There were five tables and par was 36.

Five local players participated in the Chillicothe Christmas tournament last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wright finished third overall in competition with 46 pairs. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Zimmerman and George Malek.

There will be no Washington Duplicate Bridge Club games during the holidays. Games on Dec. 24 and 31 are cancelled. The next game will be Jan. 7 when competition for the club trophy will begin.

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When immunity, or body defenses, is better understood only then can therapy, or treatment, be more successful. Interest in immunotherapy has been heightened by a desire to learn more about the rejection of transplants. Now, by manipulating the body's immunity system, there is greater hope that some of the mysterious diseases that man is heir to may soon be controlled.

High doses of caffeine found in tea, coffee and cola drinks may be responsible for a high level of anxiety and tension in many people.

Dr. John F. Greden, of the Walter Reed Army Medical Center, believes that many cases of breathlessness, nervousness, irregular heartbeat and headache may be due to ingesting large quantities of caffeine.

In a recent article, he said that subtracting one drug, caffeine, may be of greater benefit to his patients than adding another.

DR. COLEMAN welcomes letters from readers, and, while he cannot undertake to answer each one, he will use questions in his column whenever possible and when they are of general interest. Address your letters to Dr. Coleman in care of this newspaper.

Youth Activities

WAHANKA KA TA CF

The Wahanka Ka Ta Camp Fire girls held their meeting at Wilson School Wednesday after school. Jackie Baxter brought the meeting to order and the group welcomed a new member, Kim Preston. After a short business meeting we all made Thanksgiving turkeys of foam and felt and then put magnets on them. Jackie Baxter served refreshments and Pam Yarger will serve at the next meeting.

JoLynn Bobst, scribe

WAHANKA KA TA CF

The meeting of the Wahanka Ka Ta Camp Fire Girls was held in Wilson School, when seven girls were present. Kim Preston led the Pledge of Allegiance and the group made the Sign of the Fire. Honor beads were distributed to members earning them in the different crafts by Mrs. Yarger, Guardian.

New officers elected were: President, Denise Tate; vice president, Kari Wolfe; secretary, Jackie Baxter; treasurer, Tonda Lute; and scribe, Pam Yarger. A gift exchange is planned for Dec. 18, and the girls will go carolling at various nursing homes Dec. 16. Refreshments were served by Pam Yarger and LeAnn Mattson will serve the 18th.

Pam Yarger, scribe

Dog used to lick stamps

HORNBEAK, Tenn. (AP) — The post office at Hornbeak is a white concrete block building with a flag outside and a mongrel dog inside that licks stamps.

"Yep, that's right," said Postmaster Jerry Short, who owns the dog, Rex. "Licks them right there in the back of the post office when (rural mail carrier Jerry) Tucker holds them out to him. Before we had Rex, Tucker had to lick his own stamps."

To Hornbeak's 300 residents, the dog is a celebrity. He has been licking stamps behind the counter for two years.

"We ought to put him on the payroll," said Short, whose post office is about 100 miles north of Memphis. "He's the afternoon attraction. They (customers) can see him right through the side of the counter."

Short said Rex doesn't merely drool on the stamps.

"He licks them off a hundred roll," he said. "Sometimes he bites down on one and tries to swallow it, which makes Tucker awfully mad because he has to make up the dime from his own pocket."

Customers on the route leave stamp money in their mailboxes, but Tucker has to put the stamps on the envelopes. Since Tucker hates to lick stamps, he and Rex have worked out a deal.

Hey, Navy man's alive

NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — Charlie Greene wants the Navy Finance Center in Cleveland, Ohio, to know that he's alive and well and should be getting paid.

Until recently, the retired Navy warrant officer had received a \$630 retirement check each month. But Greene's November check was withheld because the finance center said Greene had died.

In a letter to the center, Greene said, "I had turkey for Thanksgiving and I'd like to have turkey for Christmas."

Greene also supplied a statement from his physician, Dr. R. B. Grinnan, which said:

"Mr. Charles H. Greene has been carefully examined by me, and I can attest to the fact that he is indeed truly alive."

A spokesman for the finance center said it now believes Greene is alive but can't say for certain whether he'll get his check in time to buy a Christmas turkey.

MT Lunch Menu

December 16 - 20

MONDAY — Hot chicken sandwich, potato chips, buttered corn, applesauce, milk.

TUESDAY — Beef stew, cole slaw, biscuits and butter, brownie, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Meat loaf, buttered potatoes, bread and butter, fruit cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY — Pizza, spinach, Jello with fruit, cookie, milk.

FRIDAY — Tomato soup, grilled cheese sandwich, mixed fruit, milk.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF FAYETTE COUNTY, OHIO

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with Section 2109.32 of the Revised Code of Ohio, of the filing of the following accounts in this Court, to-wit:

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749PE9709 Edward Streitenberger
739PE9638 Sarah E. Voss
729PE9394 Audrie C. Kessler
729PE9307 Thomas Albert Reep
739PE9622 Alvin G. Little
E3037 Charles Minshall, Sr.
741PE9687 Gabe Miller
743PE9714 Caroline M. Clark
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747PE9777 Thomas F. Ducey
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743PE9720 John Exline
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749PG2266 Margaret Lewvenia Roberts
72PG2210 Lois Ann Rodgers
G2029 Harvey R. Woodburn
NO. TRUST
E7574 Iva Stackhouse

Notice is also given, in accordance with a special rule of this Court, that on the 15th day of January, 1975, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the Court will examine said accounts, and, if found correct and in conformity to law, will order said accounts settled and recorded, and fiduciaries filing final accounts discharged, except as to such accounts regarding which, on or before said date, hearing is requested or ordered, in accordance with Section 2109.33 of the Revised Code of Ohio.

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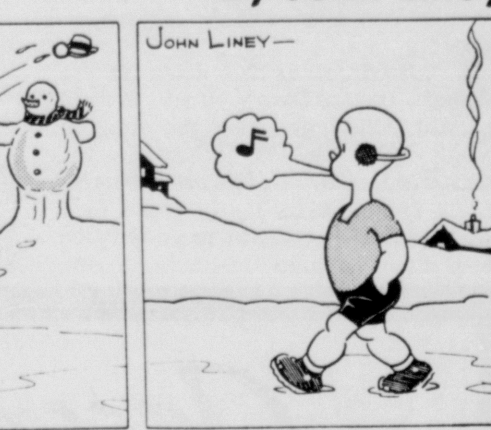


"Care to join the rehearsal?"

By Ken Bald



By John Liney



By Dick Wingart



By John Prentice & Fred Dickenson



By Fred Lasswell



By Chic Young



By Bud Blake



Demands on Israel issued by Egypt

By The Associated Press
Israeli officials say Egypt's demand for a 50-year freeze on Israel's immigration and population is unprecedented in recorded history.

The government made no formal response to the statement issued Friday by Egyptian Foreign Minister Ismail Fahmy and distributed by the official Middle East News Agency in Cairo.

Later, a Foreign Ministry official qualified Fahmy's original remarks by saying that Fahmy was actually calling for "a limit in the rate of immigration" and was not suggesting a freeze on Israel's birth rate.

Knowledgeable sources in Jerusalem said they hoped Fahmy had been misquoted, since the remarks represented a substantial hardening of the Egyptian position on prerequisites for a peace settlement in the Middle East.

Egypt has been relatively moderate despite its consistent opposition to Israel.

"Never in 4,000 years of recorded history has such a demand been made—that a nation cease to allow its own people to join it on its territory," said one Israeli official.

Man, 92, seeks office

MAQUOKETA, Iowa (AP) — Ninety-two-year-old Ben Jacobsen has served seven terms as Maquoketa's mayor, and he says he will be running for an eighth next year when he is 93.

Maquoketa, population about 5,700, sprawls over 2,800 acres in east central Iowa.

Jacobsen got his first taste of politics when he was elected to the city council in 1920.

He bowed out in 1924 when he purchased the hardware store he still operates, then got into the thick of things again in 1954 when he was elected mayor at 72. He's tossed his hat in the ring intermittently since then, and his last two-year term ended Dec. 31, 1973.

Fahmy was quoted as saying: "In any peace settlement Israel must freeze its present population and pledge not to increase the number of its immigrants for the next 50 years."

An Israeli official said the nation's immigration goals are spelled out in Israel's declaration of independence, and that one of the first laws enacted by Israel was the "Law of Return" granting automatic citizenship to any Jew who came to live in Israel.

Israel has about 3 million people and its flow of immigration has dropped about 40 per cent from last year, due mainly to economic problems and fears of Palestinian terrorism and another war.

Fahmy also said Israel must pay compensation to Arab states for past "Israeli aggression" and to the Palestinians for "material and moral damages" over the last 26 years.

He said Israel "has no alternative but to recognize the PLO (Palestine Liberation Organization) as the representative of the Palestine people, or face expulsion from the U.N."

Israel has repeatedly refused to recognize the PLO, which it calls an organization of terrorists.

Fahmy's statement was in reply to remarks by Israeli Premier Yitzhak Rabin in a London television interview on Thursday. Rabin said Israel could cause 10 times more destruction of Arab targets in case of war than the Arabs could inflict on Israel.

Arrests

SHERIFF
FRIDAY — George R. Lawwill, 20, Blanchester, petty theft; Rita L. Kniceley, 23, Columbus, failure to drive on the right half of the roadway; Michael M. Stammen, 24, Fort Recovery, failure to obey a traffic device; a 17-year-old Octa girl, unruliness; Phillip Steiner, 18, of 920 Dayton Ave., contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

SATURDAY — Eric M. Chester, 22, Jeffersonville, unsafe vehicle.



WOOPS — Kimberly F. Smallwood, 16, Clemens Road, near New Holland, received a rude lesson in keeping your eyes on the road Saturday morning. She and her mother, Clara, had just pulled from their driveway at 9 a.m. Saturday when a purse on the front seat spilled over. Miss Smallwood took her eyes from the road for just a second — which was a little too long. She and her mother were taken to Fayette Memorial Hospital by Mr. Smallwood, and apparently had only minor injuries. Sheriff's deputy Larry Camp investigated the accident. The car shown in the background is parked in the Smallwood's driveway.

Middletown woman injured in crash

A Middletown woman was admitted to Fayette Memorial Hospital after an accident at 8:15 a.m. Saturday, the Fayette County Sheriff's Department reported.

Bonnie J. Lenroot, 43, failed to stop at the intersection of the U.S. 35 Bypass and Palmer Road and struck a highway sign and 10 rods of fence belonging to the Ohio State Highway Department.

Her condition at the hospital is not known.

Ms. Lenroot's car was severely damaged and she was cited for reckless operation.

Sheriff's deputies reported a second accident which involved the injury of three people.

Moose Lodge burglarized

Washington C.H. police reported a breaking and entering incident at the Moose Lodge, two bad checks, a bicycle larceny and a trash dumping violation today in their offense reports.

The Moose Lodge, 230 E. Court St., was broken into sometime Friday night by a person who pried open the cash drawers and absconded with a yet undetermined amount of money. Police are investigating the theft.

A bad check for \$580.80 was passed at Washington C.H. Wrecking Co., 1129 Columbus Ave., on Sept. 27 and another bad check was cashed at the Fayette County Bank, Fayette Center, on Oct. 8 for \$143. Police are investigating the fraudulent checks.

A boys' 10-speed bicycle was stolen from the front porch of the Jennifer Bailey residence, 615 Harrison St., sometime Thursday night, police reported. The bicycle was valued at \$75.

A vacant lot at the end of Flint Drive, owned by Homer Smith, Rt. 5, was littered with trash Friday, police reported.

Lamp causes fire

A table lamp knocked over onto a bed created a fire at the Michael Coder residence at 1254 Rawlings St., at 6:52 p.m. Friday.

Washington C.H. firemen, who fought the blaze with water, reported the mattress and covers burned and estimated damage at \$200. No one was injured.

A car driven by James L. McDonald, 24, Bloomingburg-New Holland Road, went out of control at the intersection of CCC Highway-E and Washington-Waterloo Road at 11:40 a.m. Friday.

His car struck a drainage culvert pipe and a fence belonging to James Wilson, of CCC Highway-E.

McDonald and his two passengers, Jackie Kay McDonald, 18, New Holland and Patty Ann Sullivan, 3, New Holland, claimed injury from the mishap, but it is not known whether or not they sought treatment.

The third accident reported by sheriff's deputies also involved injury. Cars driven by James K. Conley, 33, Lucasville and Gary K. Matthews, 16, Jamestown, collided at the intersection of Main and High Streets in Jeffersonville at 4:25 p.m. Friday.

Conley claimed injury and Matthews was charged with improper left turn and failure to yield right of way.

Both autos incurred moderate damage.

Washington C.H. police investigated two minor accidents.

A car driven by Mabel M. Briggs, 64, of 331 Western Ave., backed into a car owned by Ivan Saxton, 543 Warren Ave., in Frisch's parking lot, Clinton Avenue, at 5:07 p.m. Friday.

A car driven by Gregory A. Fessler, 17, of 1128 Nelson Place, struck the rear of a car driven by Dixie S. Slavens, 30, of 3205 Worthington Rd., at the intersection of North and E. Market streets at 3:49 p.m. Friday, police reported.

Neither driver was injured.

Senate OKs trade bill

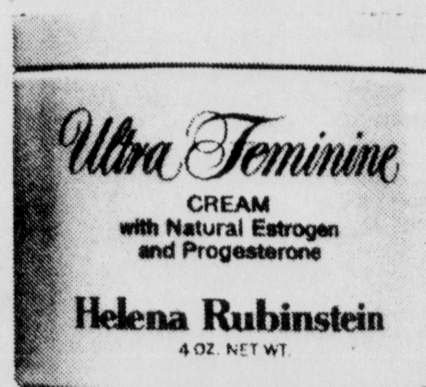
WASHINGTON (AP) — A trade bill containing a historic appeal for human rights in Communist countries has won a surprisingly easy Senate victory, virtually assuring final congressional approval next week.

The bill, which assumed priority status because of economic upheaval brought on by world food shortages and high oil prices, was passed by the Senate 77 to 4 Friday night.

The vote ended a whirlwind debate that provided little opportunity for senators to discuss the measure, which sponsors concede grants the President unprecedented powers in the trade field.

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Arab hike to hit consumers

Americans to pay more for petroleum products

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — The world's leading oil exporting nations have adopted a new price system to bring them an extra 38 cents a barrel—an increase of 3.9 per cent.

Oil ministers of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) approved the price hike Friday at the end of a two-day meeting.

OPEC officials said the move was intended to reduce "unjustified" profits by the Western oil companies.

However, the companies indicated they may pass the higher prices on to the consumer. A spokesman for Gulf Oil Co. said the OPEC action could result in an increase not exceeding one cent a gallon for all oil products at the consumer level.

In Washington, Interior Secretary Rogers C.B. Morton, chairman of President Ford's Energy Resources Council, said the OPEC move means "all nations will pay an additional \$4 billion for imported oil and further depress their economic activity."

He added, "This action should remind all Americans that we must conserve energy and find other sources of energy. We must move towards independence."

OPEC announced that the new price will take effect Jan. 1, 1975, and continue for at least nine months. Previous quarterly increases had quadrupled oil prices in the past 18 months.

An OPEC communique said the oil ministers of the 13-nation group agreed to set an average price of \$10.12 for a 42-gallon barrel, compared with the \$9.74 previously paid by the oil companies.

The decision brings OPEC into line with three of its Persian Gulf members—Saudi Arabia, Qatar and the

United Arab Emirates—who adopted the price unilaterally last month.

OPEC announced the increase in its rates along with the introduction of a new pricing system to replace the posted price—an artificial figure used for assessing taxes and royalties.

Under the new system the oil producers charge the companies a single "market price," on top of which the oil companies will add 11 cents for production costs and 50 cents for profit. This will bring the new price to \$10.73 a

barrel, compared with the current price of \$10.35.

OPEC officials claim that because the new system of oil pricing is easier for the public to understand, it will be more difficult for companies to take allegedly unfair profits from the consumer.

But in New York, Exxon Corp., the largest U.S. oil company, said, "If the Arab countries and other OPEC nations raise our cost of crude oil 38 cents a

barrel, there clearly isn't enough profit to absorb it."

A spokesman for Gulf said the competitive situation will determine whether the company will absorb the increase, but he added, "Under Federal Energy Agency Administration pricing regulations, the increase in the cost of crude can be passed to the consumer. The 38-cent a barrel increase would amount to less than one cent a gallon increase in all manufactured products."

Rhodes sets takeover as vote recount ends

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Gov. John J. Gilligan has called off a recount of the gubernatorial election after nearly complete returns showed former Gov. James A. Rhodes' 11,414-vote victory margin holding steady.

Gilligan's press secretary, Robert Tenenbaum, conceded Friday afternoon it was "evident that there will be no significant change in the results of the Nov. 5 gubernatorial election." Tenenbaum said the Democratic governor did not want to waste state money by continuing the recount through the weekend and notified Secretary of State Ted W. Brown to stop the tabulation at the close of business Friday.

Shortly after the Gilligan an-

nouncement, Brown reported final figures for 11,145 of the state's 12,831 precincts—about 87 per cent—showed Rhodes with a 106-vote net gain.

With 79 of Ohio 88 counties completed, the Republican governor-elect had picked up 712 votes to Gilligan's 606.

But the handwriting was on the wall late Friday morning when Brown reported the vote complete or nearly complete in most of the state's major counties, with no erosion of the Rhodes margin. "It would be a service if Gilligan would call the damn thing off," Brown had said after releasing the figures.

Gilligan was in Cincinnati for the day but his aides here began meeting

around noon to draft a statement halting the recount.

The governor had indicated before the recount he had no real hope that his defeat would be turned around, but he reportedly felt he owed it to administration employees to affirm the outcome.

Rhodes said "with the gubernatorial election finally over, we can not get on with the serious business of working for the economic and cultural growth of Ohio."

"I will seek the cooperation of Democrats, Republicans and independents in the effort to make a great state even greater," he said in a statement. "We will have new and exciting programs to serve all the people."

A spokesman for Rhodes said the governor-elect would probably begin naming "key personnel" early next week.

Gilligan congratulated Rhodes and pledged his cooperation in the transition, but a strain of the partisan bitterness that marred the three-day recount also came through in the statement read by his press secretary.

"Although the vote margin has not changed appreciably, this recount has turned up minor counting errors in approximately 20 per cent of the precincts in the state," Tenenbaum said. "The information gathered during the recount will permit Ohioans to recognize shortcomings in their election system."

Tenenbaum said Gilligan "believes it is important" that the legislature make changes in the election system.

Coffee Break . .

TWO CREWS of workers were involved in recounting gubernatorial votes Wednesday and Thursday nights at the Fayette County Board of Elections office, however only one of the crews was named in Friday's Record-Herald. . . . Serving on the second crew were Mrs. Mary Grim, Mrs. Mary Melvin, Mrs. Helen Sollars and Forrest Stephenson. . . .

Saxbe shift made without bitterness

WASHINGTON (AP) — Thanks to a little luck, President Ford has made his first Cabinet change without the bitterness which high-level upheavals often produce.

Ford managed to lift Atty. Gen. William B. Saxbe out of the Cabinet by rewarding him with a job he's always wanted—ambassador to India.

The move, announced Friday by the White House, pleased critics who have urged Ford to replace the Cabinet holdovers from the Nixon administration. The Indian government approved, Saxbe was happy and his delight quieted grumblings from supporters who had hoped he would continue to run the Justice Department.

Ford took advantage of the coincidence that Saxbe has had a long-time interest in a country where the present ambassador, Daniel Patrick Moynihan, was ready to leave. Moynihan, on leave as a Harvard professor, must return by February to preserve his tenure.

At a news conference after the White House announcement, Saxbe said the assignment is "something I've wanted for a long time, and it will be a real adventure for me."

He confessed regrets about leaving unfinished work at the Justice Department but said he did not feel that he had been forced out as attorney general.

Saxbe said he accepted Ford's offer without a second thought and never was told whether the President would

have kept him on as attorney general had he refused the diplomatic assignment.

Saxbe said he and Ford have not discussed who should succeed him at the department and that he will make no attempt to influence the President's choice.

"But if I had a recommendation to make," he volunteered, it would be Deputy Atty. Gen. Laurence H. Silberman, whom he described as "forceful and direct, a great detail man."

But Ford reportedly already has

settled on Edward H. Levi, president of the University of Chicago for the past eight years, for the nomination.

Levi, described by associates as a conservative Democrat, refused to say whether the job has been offered. A university source said Levi probably would accept it if Ford asks him.

Saxbe will continue as attorney general until the Senate confirms his nomination as ambassador or until a new attorney general is confirmed, whichever comes first. That means the transition probably won't take place until late January.

Protest marches slated in Boston

BOSTON (AP) — Civil rights leaders led by the Rev. Ralph David Abernathy march in support of school desegregation here today, while opponents of busing as a means of classroom integration plan their own demonstration Sunday.

The two demonstrations cap a week of trouble for the Boston school system, which is under federal court order to bus some 18,000 of its 92,000 public school pupils to bring about racial balance.

Joining Abernathy, head of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, in the march today were such other civil rights leaders as Mrs.

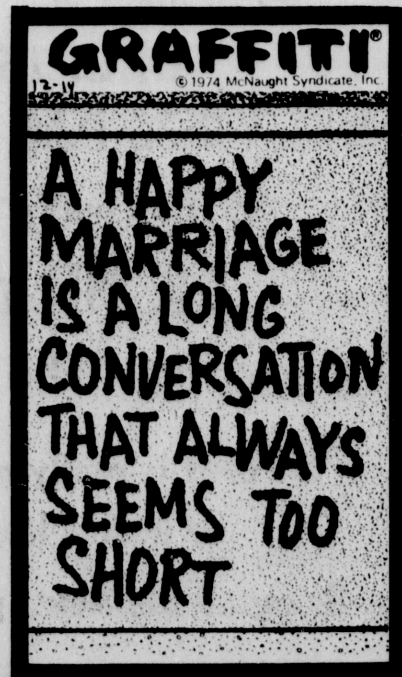
Martin Luther King Jr., comedian Dick Gregory and playwright Imanu Amiri Baraka (Le Roi Jones).

The prointegration rally was sponsored by a group called the Emergency Committee for a National Mobilization against Racism. Groups from cities throughout the East and from as far away as Ohio said they would send delegations to the rally.

The antibusing rally scheduled for Sunday numbered among its backers state Sen. Raymond L. Flynn of Boston, who said the demonstration would focus on efforts to pass a constitutional amendment prohibiting the assignment of students on the basis of race, religion or sex.

U.S. District Court Judge W. Arthur Garrity Jr., who issued the busing order, told city officials Friday to enforce stern measures against demonstrations near school or along school bus routes.

He also told the school committee to draw up rules against the use of such racial epithets as "nigger" or "white trash."



Raccoons, skunks receive bad news on distemper

WASHINGTON (AP) — Something called the Center for Short-Lived Phenomena has bad news for raccoons and skunks.

Not to mention larch and spruce trees.

The harbinger of these grim preholiday tidings is part of the Smithsonian Institution, and it obviously hopes they will indeed be short-lived.

The Center for Short-Lived Phenomena operates a global environmental network of some 3,000 scientists and institutions in 148 countries to report transient events of scientific interest.

An outbreak of canine distemper is spreading rapidly among 'coons and skunks in Massachusetts, the center reports. First cases of the viral disease were spotted in March, and by August it was reported to have afflicted many raccoons in the Boston area.

Since then affected animals have been found in other parts of the state. The disease has been found in dogs in the Beverly area.

Canine distemper is marked by

uncoordinated movement and aggressive behavior, followed by convulsive seizures and death. The last major outbreak occurred in New York state in 1972.

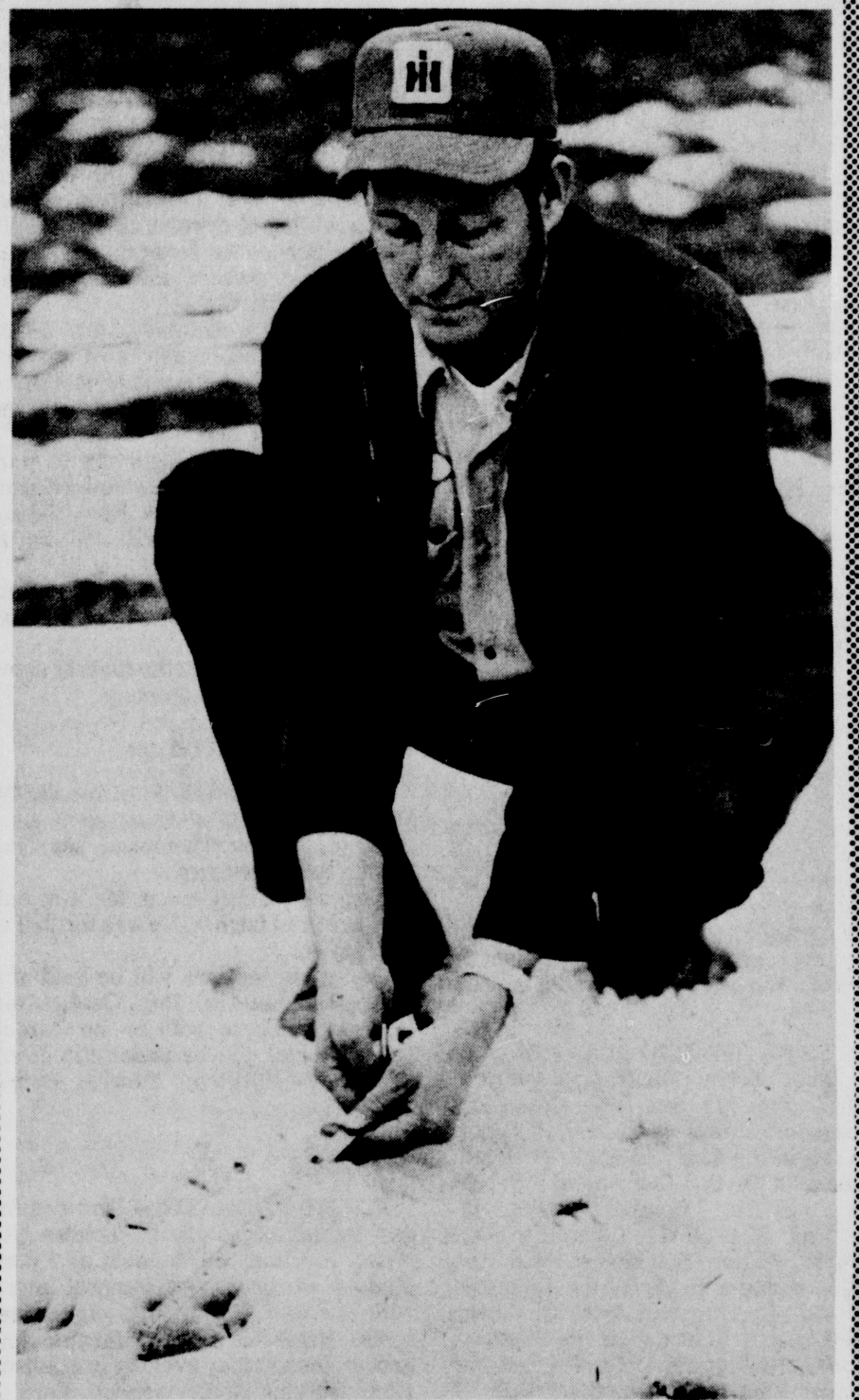
England's Devon and Stafford Counties have a different sort of problem. For several years plantations growing Japanese larch trees have experienced severe and unexplained damage.

Now forestry officials have identified the culprits: African crested porcupines with a penchant for stripping bark.

It seems two of the spiny rodents, whose range is from Africa to southern Europe, escaped captivity in England in 1972.

English Forest Commission officers are trying to trap them live before they cause damage to other tree farms.

A related species, Hodgson's porcupine, has destroyed Norway spruce in Devonshire. A mature pair has been captured but there is concern over how many descendants they may have produced during five years of freedom.



A LITTLE FOREST CREATURE — "I've always enjoyed living out here on Creek Road so surrounded by nature, but I'll have to admit that if these are bear tracks, I'm going to start looking over my shoulder while hiking around," Fred Miles admitted, while measuring the tracks he found some 70 feet from his mobile home at noon Friday.

Large tracks discovered

Bear roaming county?

Fred Miles said good bye to his wife and walked out of the front door of his home at 7022 Creek Road to return to work at Carroll Halliday, Inc., after having had his lunch Friday around noon.

He was about 70 feet from his home when his eyes froze on some very unfamiliar tracks in the snow.

"What startled me," said Miles "was the size of the tracks. I've never seen a dog that big, nor would I care to, so I figured they must be bear tracks!"

Now, everyone knows there isn't bear in Fayette County; but, wait a minute. . . there is a man who has imported some. Miles explained.

"BOB HUFF on Mark Road raises all kinds of strange animals and does have some bears. In fact, one of them got loose around three weeks ago and when Huff tried to capture it, it went berserk and had to be killed. I guess the bear realized it was totally free and wanted to stay that way."

Miles said he had tried to contact Huff to see if any other of his bear had escaped, but didn't get an answer. He then called the Fayette County Sheriff's Department and they suggested



BIG DOG? — The tape measure speaks for itself. These tracks are pretty huge for one of the canine species. Is there a bear running around in Fayette County?

contacting Jerry Cremeans, the Fayette County game protector. Cremeans stated, "As far as

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Energy options hammered out

CAMP DAVID, Md. (AP) — Top administration officials are beginning a high-level think tank operation aimed at developing short-and long-term energy policies for presentation to President Ford.

Energy conservation ranks high on the list, which may also include discussion of quotas on oil imports backed up by some form of limits on the amount of gasoline and fuel oils Americans can use in 1975.

The officials, including Interior Secretary Rogers C. B. Morton and Federal Energy Administrator Frank G. Zarb, were scheduled to meet here at the presidential retreat all day today and Sunday.

An informed source said the officials would try first to decide the key facts and assumptions on which the rest of their planning would be based.

Then they were expected to discuss short-term policies for reducing U.S. dependence on oil imports for the next three years.

Administration officials have been unanimous in publicly concluding that energy conservation is about the only

way to cut oil imports. The only question—but a very big one—is how to do it.

There has been widespread agreement, too, that the use of petroleum products, especially gasoline, must be reduced.

President Ford repeatedly has ruled out application of a stiff gasoline tax to discourage sales.

The idea might still be discussed, but other alternatives appear more likely, with attention focusing on a return to the type of petroleum allocations required during last winter's Arab oil embargo.

That allocation system amounted to rationing of fuel oils and other products but did not ration gasoline to individual motorists.

If adopted again, this time as a self-

imposed shortage, it would probably bring with it a deliberate and more careful return of such measures as odd-even-day gasoline sales and service station closing on weekends to reduce the chances of long gasoline lines.

President Ford also has opposed rationing of gasoline to consumers, but this also may be considered at least as a standby measure and possibly even as an immediate program.

Proposals also likely for discussion may include tax incentives or other aid for insulating existing buildings; a mandatory program for industries to plan energy conservation and report to the government, and the possibility of President Ford using emergency powers to make sure that steel and other critical materials and perhaps shipyard space as well are made available for energy conservation and production activities as needed.

Still another possibility might be a program to make electric power plants which burn oil or natural gas switch to coal, but Zarb warned Friday there were serious obstacles in the short run.

SCOL scores

Washington C.H. 69, Unioto 66
Circleville 71, Greenfield 66
Hillsboro 65, Wilmington 50

Lottery ticket sales high again

CLEVELAND, Ohio (AP)— Sales of Ohio lottery tickets soared 55 per cent last week, and a lottery spokesman credited holiday gimmicks coupled with suspensions of field repre-

sentatives whose efforts officials said had flagged.

Ticket sales reached 4.4 million during the week ended last Tuesday, the first week of the lottery com-

mission's "Holiday Bonus" game, the spokesman said.

The total was up 2.2 million from the week before. Sales had averaged 4 million over the first 17 weeks of the lottery's operation, the spokesman said.

Under the bonus plan, tickets sold between Dec. 3 and the first drawing in January were to bear two extra pairs of numbers, giving ticketholders additional chances at \$1,000 or \$2,000.

A second plan to overcome the sales lag, which the spokesman called typical for the season, was the "Lottery Man."

The Lottery Man, which "might be a woman," was to visit ticket outlets all over the state during the six-week holiday period, posing as a customer, the spokesman said. If clerks ask the pretender to buy a ticket, the Lottery Man pays the clerk \$20 on the spot.

About 500 clerks are to share in \$10,000 under the plan, the spokesman said.

The commission announced Friday it had suspended two field representatives for three days each and that six other faced the same disciplinary action "if they don't shape up."

James Dickerson, deputy executive director of the lottery, said the suspensions were intended to put representatives on notice that they must hustle or find their pay checks cut off.

"Get on the ball or get off the bus," Dickerson said he told staffers this week.

The lottery employs about 160 workers, not all of whom are field representatives.

Commission spokesmen blamed lagging sales mainly on the holidays and the newspaper blackout in Cleveland, heart of the district which normally led the state's seven sales divisions.

Fayette Memorial Hospital News

ADMISSIONS

Mrs. Allen O. McClung, 546 Comfort Lane, medical.

Mrs. Clara Hixon, 411 N. North St., medical.

Samuel Miller, Hillsboro, medical.

Mrs. Mary Marshall, Rt. 1, Jeffersonville, medical.

Kenneth Everhart, Hickory Lane, medical.

Mrs. Melvin Moore, 807 Van Deman St., medical.

DISMISSALS

Larry Brown, Jeffersonville, medical.

Daryl Moberly, Zanesville, medical.

Mrs. George Hott, New Holland, medical.

Malcolm Jette, 410 Broadway, medical.

William Williams, 6327 Allen Rd., medical.

Francis Craig, 245 Henkle St., surgical.

Irvin Pryor, Greenfield, surgical.

Mrs. Glen Large, Rt. 1, Mount Sterling, medical.

Gary Hooks, 627 E. Paint St., surgical.

Mrs. R. Neil Hughes, Jeffersonville, surgical.

BLESSED EVENTS

To Mr. and Mrs. Glen Thompson, Rt. 1, Frankfort, twin girls, 6 pounds, 8 ounces, at 9:13 a.m. and 6 pounds, 7½ ounces, at 9:17 a.m. Friday.

The Weather

COYT A. STOOKEY
Local Observer

Minimum yesterday	34
Minimum last night	31
Maximum	38
Pre. (24 hr. end. 7 a.m.)	.02
Minimum 8 a.m. today	31
Maximum this date last yr.	37
Minimum this date last yr.	26
Pre. this date last yr.	.10

By The Associated Press

A stationary front in northern Ohio brought a variety of weather to the state overnight. Heavy clouds blanketed the state and light drizzle was reported over much of Ohio, while light drizzle and snow fell in the extreme north.

Precipitation amounts were light, generally less than a tenth of an inch, and temperatures at dawn remained in the 30s.

Mainly About People

Miss Lucinda Jean Sagar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sagar, 116 Gardner Court, received a bachelor degree from the College of Arts and Science at Ohio State University at commencement exercises held in St. John Arena Friday. Attending the exercises besides her parents were her three sisters, Dianne, Lynn and Katherine, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sagar Sr., 673 Comfort Lane.

Santa's problem pup

CHAPTER 5
By Bob Boyle

Peako ran around the table and then jumped right up on Santa's lap.

He started to lick Santa on his big red nose.

Santa scratched Peako behind the ears with both hands.

"Santa, let's keep Peako here instead of the kennels," Jasman said.

"That's a good idea, Santa," Jude said.

"Can we Santa, can we?" said Juniperperper.

Mrs. Claus said, "Now I don't think Miss Kay Nihn would like that."

"That's true," Santa replied. "Miss Kay Nihn has rules and regulations and puppies, even cute ones like this, belong in the kennel."

"Phooey on Miss Kay Nihn," Juniperperper said.

"Oh, I'm surprised at you, Juniperperper," Mrs. Claus said.

"That certainly isn't a nice way for one of Santa's elves to talk."

"But she is so mean," Juniperperper said.

"Now, now," Santa said. "She isn't mean. She is simply doing her job. She is in charge of the kennels and we must obey."

"But Santa, You're the boss of the North Pole," Juniperperper said. "You can tell her what to do and she would have to listen to you. You're in charge and she isn't."

"I put her in charge of the kennels," Santa explained.

"And I have to do as the rules say, too. I just can't go and change rules."

Just then the door to Santa's house flew open and a piping mad Miss Kay Nihn came roaring in.

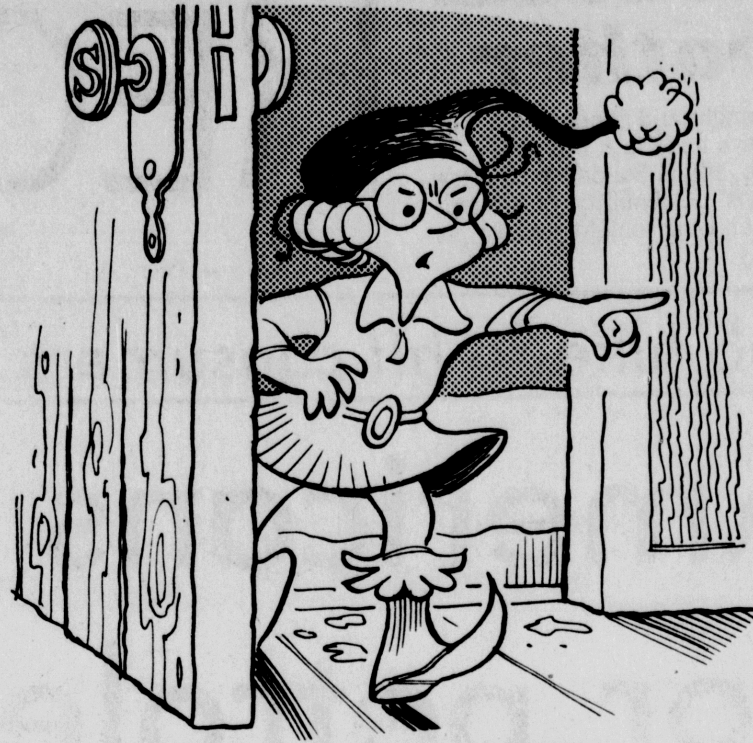
"What's going on here?" she called.

"What's going on here. I see that dog. Who took him out of the kennels? Santa, I will not put up with this. If an elf left him out of the kennel, I want that elf punished. I'm in charge of the kennels and I will not stand for misbehavior."

"Settle down, Miss Kay Nihn," Santa said. "I know you're angry but let's find out what happened."

"All right, Santa," she replied. "But I don't want people disobeying me."

Santa turned to the elves and said, "Now did any of you elves leave Peako out of the kennel?"



"Not me," said Juniperperper.

"A likely story," Miss Kay Nihn said.

"Miss Kay Nihn," Santa said. "You should know that elves don't lie. I have never met an elf who ever, ever told a lie."

"That's right, Santa," said Jinkersnipes. "None of us let Peako loose. Maybe Miss Kay Nihn did."

"Don't be silly," she said. "I would never let a puppy run loose. I still think that one of the elves left him out."

"I don't think so," Santa explained. "All the elves were here eating their supper."

"Well they must be punished," Miss Kay Nihn said.

"I can't punish them without reason," Santa said.

Peako snuggled closer to Santa and Santa continued to scratch the back of Peako's ear.

"See, Santa, even you are spoiling that dog," Miss Kay Nihn said. "And I still demand to know how he got out of the kennel."

With that Peako jumped to the floor and ran to the door.

He took the door latch in his teeth and did a complete somersault and the door opened.

"Oh, that was sweet the way he opened the door," Mrs. Claus said.

"Let's keep him here," Jinkersnipes said.

"No, no, no," Miss Kay Nihn warned. "He must go back to the kennel."

Peako, on hearing this, ran to Santa and jumped up on his lap.

"He doesn't want to leave Santa," Jinkersnipes said.

"Let him stay with Santa," Juniperperper pleaded.

"I said no, no, no," Miss Kay Nihn said. "We MUST follow the rules and Peako must be returned to the kennels."

"I guess you're right, Miss Kay Nihn," Santa said.

"Well, I will take him now," Miss Kay Nihn replied.

She reached to pick up Peako and he jumped down from Santa's lap and raced to the other end of the table.

Then Santa said, "Come on, Peako. You better come here."

With that, the little dog came out from behind Juniperperper's legs and went to Miss Kay Nihn.

"He listens to you and not to me," Miss Kay Nihn said to Santa.

"That's because he likes Santa," Juniperperper said.

"Yes, Santa is nice," Jinkersnipes said.

"Not like some people," added Jasper.

"You can take him back to the kennels," Santa sadly said.

Peako licked Santa's hand.

Miss Kay Nihn put a leash on Peako.

As she tugged him away she said, "Now this time stay in the kennel."

More Monday

Ford, Giscard to ponder policy on energy

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ford and French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing are expected to try to reach a compromise on how to deal with the world energy crisis at their meeting this weekend on the Caribbean isle of Martinique.

Officials of both countries say there's hope the two leaders can find a way to resolve previous differences in approach to energy and economic problems.

Ford and Giscard, both of whom became president within the last seven months, will be meeting for the first time when they begin a three-day conference today on the tiny French island.

Both men are known for a friendly, informal style. And both have been coping at home with serious problems of inflation and unemployment.

They are coming together after a series of meetings among NATO and

European Common Market officials, dominated by the world dilemma over oil prices and other economic ills.

The major oil producers announced on Friday a new 3.9 per cent price increase.

Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger returned Friday night from the Brussels meeting of 15 North Atlantic Alliance prime ministers in time to catch a night's rest before joining Ford on today's 2,000-mile flight to Martinique.

Giscard already was in Martinique after a somewhat embarrassing stop en route on the neighboring French island of Guadeloupe, where he ran into demonstrations and criticism of French policy because of high inflation and unemployment.

The talks between Ford and Giscard will not get under way until Sunday, when they will hold morning and afternoon meetings. A third and final session comes Monday morning.

Capacity crowd attends program

The Eastside Elementary School Parent-Teacher Organization welcomed a capacity crowd to the annual Christmas program held recently in the Washington C.H. Middle School Auditorium.

First, second, and third graders presented "Everywhere Christmas Tonight." Each grade took its place on stage and sang several beautiful Christmas songs. There were also special dances performed by the children.

The third graders sang several carols from other nations and acted out a traditional Christmas scene from each country. All grades combined to form a large choir for a finale which consisted of traditional Christmas carols.

Special music was furnished by "The Harmoniums" and Mrs. Libby Yerian and Miss Marcia Perry. Robert Minshall narrated the program which was under the direction of Mrs. Emily R. King, assisted by Mrs. Yerian and Miss Perry.

Beer and liquor stolen

CINCINNATI, Ohio (AP) — Mrs. Warren G. Bennis, wife of the President of the University of Cincinnati, reported that beer and liquor valued at \$149.50 was stolen from their basement by burglars.

Police said the thieves cut their way through a glass door with a glass cutter.

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Deaths, Funerals

Mrs. Aurelia Johnson

SABINA — Services for Mrs. Aurelia Johnson, 98, formerly of Sabina, who died at 2:15 a.m. Friday in the Deaneview Nursing Home, Washington C.H., will be held at 10 a.m. Monday in the Littleton Funeral Home, Sabina.

Mrs. Johnson, who spent most of her life near Sabina, was preceded in death by her husband, John, and a son, Stanley. She was a member of the Sabina Friends Meeting.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Miles (Eleanor) Peele, Haines City, Fla.; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren, and three sisters, Mrs. Arthur Thomas, Amboy, Ind., Miss Ethel Crawford, Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Harry Smith, Charlotte, Tenn.

Burial will be in Sugar Grove Cemetery, Wilmington. Friends may call at the funeral home from 3 to 5 and 7 until 9 p.m. Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Bushenlechner

MIDDLETOWN — Mass will be sung Monday morning in Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Middletown for Mrs. Ruth Bushenlechner, 76, mother of Mrs. Mark O'Flynn, 704 E. Market St., Mrs. Bushenlechner died at 2 p.m. Friday in the Barbara Park Nursing Home. She is the widow of Joseph Bushenlechner.

Surviving besides Mrs. O'Flynn, is another daughter, Mrs. Futh Frost, also of Middletown; 10 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren; four brothers and two sisters, all of the Middletown area.

Friends may call Sunday afternoon and evening at the Schramm Funeral Home. Burial will be made in Middletown.

MISS KATHY ZURFACE — Services for Miss Kathy Zurface, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Zurface, Jamestown, were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Littleton Funeral Home, Sabina, with the Rev. Albert Briggs and the Rev. Howard Shively officiating. Miss Zurface died Tuesday.

Mrs. Walter Stackhouse was the organist and pallbearers for the burial in Milledgeville-Plymouth Cemetery were Steve Cook, James Spence, James, Randy and Doug Zurface and Robert Bartruff.



CAROLYN CAGG

Greenfield girl wins black belt

After three hard-fought years, 17-year-old Carolyn Cagg, of Greenfield, was awarded her black belt in karate, this week at the Washington C.H. karate studio on Library Plaza.

Carolyn, who has studied the martial art under Al Conaway, since the age of 14, has served as assistant instructor for a Sunday evening karate class in Washington C.H., under the supervision of Roger Dillard.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cagg has also collected some trophies during her ascent up the ladder toward her black belt goal. She was awarded third place in kata competition and fourth place in fighting competition during the Ohio karate tournament in Columbus in 1973.

Carolyn said her interest in karate was originally kindled when she attended a tournament in Greenfield with a girlfriend.

"I never would have guessed that one day I would receive a blackbelt. I was so honored Tuesday when it happened. I plan to further my study of the art because it has provided me with a lot of fun and good exercise. Although I've never had to use it to protect myself, I believe it's a good thing to know in case a situation would ever present itself where I would have to call upon my training," she stated.

Mrs. Myrtle Farquhar

Mrs. Myrtle Farquhar, 85, formerly of 522 E. Market St., died at 5:23 p.m. Friday in Whetstone Convalescent Center, Columbus, where she had been transferred from Fayette Memorial Hospital two days ago. She had been in failing health for several months.

Born in Litchfield, Ill., she had resided in Washington C.H. for the past 54 years. Her husband, Orrin D. Farquhar, died in 1967. A member of First Presbyterian Church, she was active in church work for over 50 years. She was a member of the Mothers Club of the church and taught Sunday School for several years. She was also a former member of the Cecilian Music Club.

Surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Jeanne Burns, of Columbus; two grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. A daughter, Mrs. Barbara Lou Jefferson, died in 1942.

Services will be held at 3 p.m. Monday in the Gerstner-Kinzer Funeral Home with the Rev. Gerald Wheat officiating. Burial will be in Bloomingburg Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that friends contribute to their favorite charity.

Friends may call at the funeral home from 1 until 3 p.m. Monday.

Joseph H. Kimball

SABINA — Joseph H. Kimball, 77, Rt. 1, Leesburg, died at 6:15 a.m. Saturday in the Thompson boarding home, near Leesburg.

Born near Georgetown, Mr. Kimball was a retired farmer. He was the last of his family.

Graveside services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Georgetown Cemetery. There will be no calling hours. Burial will be under the direction of the Littleton Funeral Home, Sabina.

Jay Beale

MOUNT STERLING — Services for Jay Beale, 83, of 130 N. London St., Mount Sterling, will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Porter Funeral Home with the Rev. Ralph Ritts officiating.

Mr. Beale, a retired farmer and grocer, died Friday evening in Madison Elms Nursing Home, London. Born in 1891 to Everett and Grace Pancake Beale, near Mount Sterling, he was a member of the United Church.

Surviving is his wife, Carrie B. (Dot) Beale; a daughter, Mrs. Earl (Medrit) Anderson and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Eleanor Beale, both of Mount Sterling; six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. A son, John, died in 1967.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 2 to 5 and 7 until 9 p.m. Sunday. Burial will be in Pleasant Cemetery.

Large tracks

(Continued from page 1)

I'm concerned, the tracks were made by a big dog, probably several days ago when the snow first started melting and refreezing. That's why they seem bigger now than they were originally. I'm not saying they couldn't be bear tracks - that's possible, but not probable."

Miles accepted Cremeans' explanation, but muttered something under his breath about asking for a .30-'06 rifle for Christmas.

Walter Lippmann succumbs at 85

NEW YORK (AP) — Pulitzer Prize-winning columnist Walter Lippmann, one of the most respected and influential political writers of his time, died today. He was 85.

Lippmann, who had been ailing and confined to a wheelchair, died in his Park Avenue apartment at 7:25 a.m. EST.

Only two months ago, he had been honored by Mayor Abraham D. Beame and presented the city's highest award, the Bronze Medal of Honor.

Tuskegee study suit settled

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — A multimillion dollar damage suit filed against the U.S. government as a result of the Tuskegee syphilis experiment has "for all practical purposes" been settled out of court, a federal attorney says.

U.S. Atty. Ken Vines of Montgomery added, however, "There are a few ends still to be resolved."

The class-action suit, originally seeking \$1.8 billion damages, was brought by survivors of 600 Macon County black men who were used as human guinea pigs in the federal experiment which began in 1932 and ended in 1972.

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SATURDAY

12:00 — (2-4-5) Jetsons; (6-13) These are the Days; (7) Goodtimes House-Yogi Bear; (9-10) U.S. of Archie; (12) Virginian; (8) Mister Rogers' Neighborhood; (11) Movie-Adventure.
12:30 — (2-4-5) Go-Children; (6-13) American Bandstand; (7-9-10) Fat Albert; (8) Villa Alegre.
1:00 — (2-4-5) NFL Football; (7-9-10) CBS Children's Film Festival; (8) Hodgepodge Lodge.
1:30 — (6) To Be Announced; (12) Hogan's Heroes; (13) Racing the Radial Challenge; (8) Zee Cooking School.
2:00 — (6-12-13) College Football; (7-9) Famous Classic Tales; (10) Jungle Jim; (11) Movie-Adventure; (8) Soul!
2:15 — (6-12-13) College Football.
3:00 — (7-9) NFL Pre-Game show; (8) Two-Way Street.
3:25 — (10) Five Minutes to Kick-Off.
3:30 — (7-9-10) NFL Football; (8) Hodgepodge Lodge.
4:00 — (2) Batman; (4) NFL Game of the Week; (5) World of Survival; (11) Perry Mason; (8) Sesame Street.
4:30 — (2) Batman; (4) Sale of the Century; (5) College Basketball.
5:00 — (2) Twilight Zone; (4) Bonanza; (11) Mission: Impossible; (8) Mister Rogers' Neighborhood.
5:30 — (2) Last of the Wild; (6-12-13) Wide World of Sports; (8) Wall Street Week.
6:00 — (2-4-5) News; (11) Movie-Biography; (8) What Now America?
6:30 — (2-4-5) NBC News; (7) News; (9-10) All-America Team; (8) Columbus Film Council.
7:00 — (2-4) Lawrence Welk; (5) Last of the Wild; (6) Hee Haw; (8-12) Hee Haw; (9) House that Smack Built; (10) \$25,000 Pyramid; (13) Speak to the Manager; (8) Broadcast News.
7:30 — (5) What's My Line?; (10) Animal World; (13) Positively Black.
8:00 — (2-4-5) Movie-Drama; (6) College Basketball; (7-9-10) All in the Family; (12-13) Portrait: Legend in Granite; (8) National Town Meeting.
8:30 — (7-9-10) Friends and Lovers; (11) Bewitched.
9:00 — (7-9-10) Mary Tyler Moore; (12-13) NFL Football; (11) Movie-Mystery; (8) In Performance at Wolf Trap.

9:30 — (7-10) Bob Newhart; (9) Bicentennial Ball.
10:00 — (6) NFL Football; (7-9-10) Carol Burnett; (8) They Don't Laugh at Hoboken any More.
10:30 — (11) Flash Gordon; (8) Caught in the Act.
11:00 — (2-4-5-7-9-10) News; (11) Don Kirshner's Rock Concert.
11:30 — (2) Movie-Drama; (4) Movie-Comedy; (5) Saturday Evening Post; (7) Movie-Mystery; (9) Movie-Drama; (10) Movie-Drama.
12:00 — (6) ABC News; (12) News; (13) Movie-Fantasy.
12:15 — (6) Movie-Thriller; (12) Movie-Adventure.
12:30 — (11) In Session.
1:00 — (4) Movie-Comedy; (5) Movie-Drama.
1:30 — (9) Here and Now; (10) Movie-Musical.
1:45 — (6) Soul Train; (12) ABC News; (13) Movie-Science Fiction.
2:30 — (4) Movie-Puppets.
3:00 — (5) Movie-Drama.
3:30 — (10) Movie-Adventure.
4:00 — (4) Movie-Comedy.
5:00 — (5) Movie-Comedy.

SUNDAY

12:00 — (2) Christmas Special; (4) World of Survival; (6) Bowling; (7) Don Donohue; Basketball; (9) Nanny and the Professor; (10) Columbus Town Meeting; (12) Movie-Western; (11) Movie-Drama; (13) Wrestling.
12:30 — (2-4-5) Meet the Press; (7-9) NFL Pre-Game Show.
12:55 — (10) Five Minutes to Kick-Off.
1:00 — (2) Twilight Zone; (4) Bonanza; (11) Jabberwocky; (7-9-10) NFL Football; (13) Motorcycling with K.K.
1:30 — (2-5) NFL Game of the Week; (6) Issues and Answers; (13) Bill Cosby.
2:00 — (2-4-5) NFL Football; (6) Golf Highlights; (13) Movie-Thriller; (12) Feedback; (11) Movie-Biography.
2:30 — (6) College Football Bowl Preview; (12) Issues and Answers.
3:00 — (6) Wally's Workshop; (12) Movie-Drama; (8) History of the Motion Picture.
3:30 — (6) Jimmy Dean; (13) Movie-Science Fiction; (8) Thrival.
4:00 — (6) Other People, Other Places; (7-10) NFL Post-Game Show; (9) Face the Nation.
4:30 — (2-4-5) NFL Football; (6) Inner Space; (7-9-10) NBA Basketball; (8) On Aging.
5:00 — (6) Untamed World; (12) Gale Catlett; Basketball; (11) Movie-Thriller; (13) Prisoner; (8) Feeling Good.
5:30 — (6) FBI; (12) Porter Wagoner.
6:00 — (12) Lawrence Welk; (11) Movie-Thriller; (13) The Tech Experience; (8) Your Future is Now.
6:30 — (6) News; (13) New Army; (8) Ohio This Week.
7:00 — (2) Wild Kingdom; (4) Last of the Wild; (5) Bobby Goldsboro; (6) National Geographic; (7) Let's Make a Deal; (9) Impact; (10) In the Know; (12) Wild Kingdom; (8) Walsh's Animals; (11) Nashville at the Garden; (13) As Schools Match Wits.
7:30 — (2-4-5) Little Drummer Boy; (7-9) Apple's Way; (10) Tom Jones; (12) FBI; (13) Police Surgeon; (8) Fun With Crafts.
8:00 — (2-4-5) Family Theatre; (6) Sonny Comedy Revue; (11) World of Sid and Marty Krofft at Hollywood Bowl; (13) Nashville at the Garden; (8) Life Around Us.
8:30 — (7-9-10) Kojak; (12) Police Surgeon; (8) Masterpiece Theatre.
9:00 — (2-4-5) Bob Hope; (6-12-13) Movie-Drama; (11) Merv Griffin.



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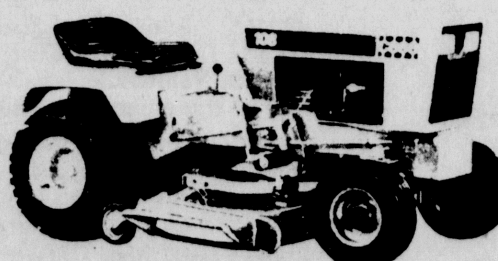
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The Farm Notebook

Cattlefeeders banquet is slated for Jan. 6

By JOHN P. GRUBER

County Extension Agent, Agriculture
The Fayette County Cattlefeeders directors made final plans earlier this week for the annual banquet which is set Monday, January 6 at Mahan Hall. The featured speaker for the banquet will be Charlie Boyles, Manager Eastern Ohio Resource Development Center, Caldwell, Ohio. Boyles is well-known as a speaker for his homespun humor and philosophy.
Last year's Cattlefeeders banquet drew 325 cattlefeeders and businessmen. The directors are planning for a similar attendance this year as tickets go on sale this week. In this day of rising prices all who attended last years banquet will be pleased to know that the price is the same for the 1975 banquet. Tickets are \$5 and are available from directors of the cattlefeeders association at the County Extension Office.

Farm Account Books at the Extension Office this week. Good news - the price is the same as last year. The Ohio Commercial Farm Account books are available in three forms: 1. The complete account book which contains the receipts and expenses section plus 5 years depreciation and inventory records - the price including cover \$3.50. 2. loose-leaf receipts and expense filler - without cover \$1.25. 3. Bound copy of the receipts and expense section \$1.25. We also have a supply of the Small Ohio Farm Account book available. These are designed primarily for small and/or part-time farm operations.

This time of year is also a good time of year to start thinking more seriously about a farm record analysis program. One such program available is the Farm Business Analysis program available through the Ohio State University and the Extension Service. The program can provide an objective evaluation of "how you are doing." It

can help to pinpoint strong and weak spots in your farm organization and management. The program will print a profit and loss summary and will point out changes which may help you increase your net income.

The program provides a financial summary, labor efficiency evaluation, crop production, summary, including cash and non-cash costs per acre, and a livestock enterprise analysis. Contact me at the Extension Office for details of participation in this program. What's the cost - \$15.00 plus about a half a day of your time.

THE 1975 FARM Tax Guides are available at no cost - at the Extension Office.

DATES TO keep in mind: January 6 - Cattlefeeder Banquet. January 15, 21 and 28 (evenings) Property Transfer and Estate Planning Workshop. January 23-Fayette County Corn-Soybean Clinic. February 5 - Fayette County Pork Producers Banquet.

Ohio engineers slate study of grain drying

Effectiveness of solar collectors for heating air used in drying shelled corn and soybeans will be determined by agricultural engineers at the Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center, Wooster, under a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).
USDA's Agricultural Research Service (ARS) will provide \$17,320 for the one-year study.

The study is one of seven to determine the feasibility of using solar energy to supplement or replace other fuels in drying corn. Use of solar energy as a heat source would, if practical, help conserve supplies of LP gas and other fuels now used in drying grain and would reduce costs. Other studies will be carried out in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, and South Dakota. The research is supported by a grant to ARS by the National Science Foundation.

The Ohio engineers will determine the effects of weather on performance procedures needed when plastic-type collectors are used. The engineers will compare costs, rate, and uniformity of drying with solar heat and unheated air.

Dr. Harold M. Keener, agricultural engineer at the Center, will be the project manager. George H. Foster, agricultural engineer at the U.S. Grain Marketing Research Center here, will be the principal investigator and coordinate the studies.

Elaine Straley first woman to head panel

COLUMBUS — The executive committee of the State Extension Advisory Committee has elected Mrs. Elaine K. Straley, of Cedarville, as chairperson for a two-year term.

The advisory committee consists of local leaders from all parts of Ohio who advise the Ohio Cooperative Extension Service on matters related to educational programs for adults and youth. Mrs. Straley is the first woman to head the advisory group.

France ranks 2nd in farm exports

France — with only one-twelfth as much farmland as that of the United States — was the world's second largest exporter of farm products in 1973.

French farm trade totaled \$7 billion, compared to this country's \$17.7 billion.



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Opinion And Comment

Averting holiday tragedies

In families where there are small children, Yuletide is the season to be careful as well as jolly. This celebrative time adds hazards to those normally found around the home.

Parents commonly take precautions against the better known dangers — candles within reach of little hands, Christmas trees too close to the fireplace, unsafe toys, and so forth. But many parents, one suspects, have given little thought to a class of hazards cited by the National Poison Center network based in Pittsburgh. The Center's director, Dr. Richard W. Moriarty,

warns against the special dangers of poisoning during the Christmas holiday period.

Alcohol poisoning of children is common. Toddlers may get hold of unemptied glasses and bottles of liquor left unattended. Dr. Moriarty notes that "it doesn't take much to do a child in." He points to another problem as well, observing that there is "a certain kind of person who gets kicks out of how a kid looks drunk." He tells of a father who did that — and later had the experience of watching his child die in a hospital.

Dr. Moriarty suggests that relatives and other guests may leave purses about containing medications which could bring serious illness or death to a small child. He notes, too, that furniture moved to make room may give toddlers access to poisonous household items usually kept out of reach.

The general rule to be deduced from the National Poison Center warnings is this: Foresee possible dangers, and act to avert them. A little thought ahead of time may prevent a tragedy at the gayest time of the year.

Your Horoscope

FRANCES DRAKE
Look in the section in which your birthday comes and find what your outlook is, according to the stars.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15
ARIES
(March 21 to April 20)
Take everything into account before you begin the day. Observe outside indications, trends. Do not change plans if you logically should not.

TAURUS
(April 21 to May 21)
If you're planning an unusual venture, it would be best to "go it alone" for the present. Associates may be unreliable or impractical.

GEMINI
(May 22 to June 21)
A day in which to emphasize your finesse; for doing things in such an unusual way that others will not only approve, but look forward to your next move.

CANCER
(June 22 to July 22)
Avoid impulsiveness. There's such a tendency now and it could lead you into errors, so be careful.

LEO
(July 24 to Aug. 23)
Keep on your own course. Fend off the skeptics and the worry birds. Don't make changes just because someone suggests them. Have a logical reason.

VIRGO
(Aug. 24 to Sept. 23)
Auspicious stellar influences now stimulate your imagination and creative talents. Progress and enduring reward indicated through properly channeled efforts.

LIBRA
(Sept. 24 to Oct. 23)
The use of an old strategy or piece of advice may be your best stand-by now. Look out for things "offbeat" or out-of-context, however. They could mislead.

SCORPIO
Oct. 24 to Nov. 22)
Don't mix business with pleasure and don't press issues. For the moment, it will be better to let things take their course.

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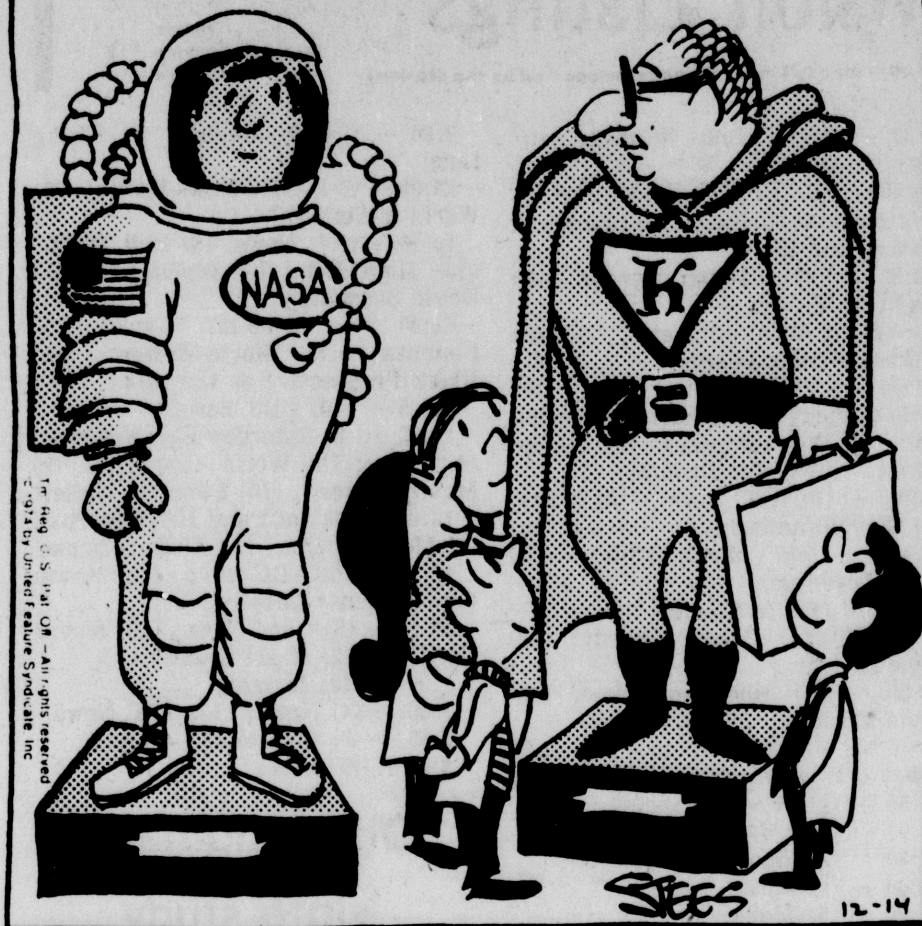
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"It's tough to pick a vacation spot when you know what's wrong with every one of them."

Another View



Ohio employment picture mixed

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Employment of production workers and other nonsupervisory personnel in the Dayton area dropped by 5 per cent in the first 10 months of the year compared with a year earlier, researchers say.

The work force in Dayton (Montgomery County) in October 1974 was 4 per cent less than in October 1973, according to statistics gathered by the Center for Business and Economic Research at Ohio State University in mid-October.

Across the state, in Canton (Stark) employment in that category was 3 per cent higher over the first 10 months of 1974 compared with a year earlier. Cleveland (Cuyahoga) and Youngstown (Mahoning) employment rose 2 per cent, Akron (Summit) increased by 1 per cent and Toledo (Lucas) fractionally.

For the month of October compared with October 1973, Akron increased employment by 2 per cent while Canton was up by 1 per cent and Youngstown, fractionally.

Declines were noted elsewhere.

For the month comparison, production employment declined 1 per cent in Cleveland; 2 per cent in Columbus; and 3 per cent in Cincinnati and Toledo.

For the 10-month comparison,

Columbus (Franklin) production employment declined by 2 per cent while Cincinnati (Hamilton) dropped 1 per cent.

Around the state, employment decreased by 2 per cent from October-to-October while for the first 10 months of the year in the category which excludes agricultural, governmental and public education workers, employment was down by 1 per cent.

Ohio's textile industry was hardest hit by a decrease in workers—12 per cent in the 10-month period compared with 1973. For October, employment was off 4 per cent.

The layoff-ridden automobile industry in Ohio was down 11 per cent in October from a year earlier and 8 per cent for the 10-month period.

The calculation was made before additional layoffs were announced by the Big Three automakers in November which left more car and truck makers in major production facilities in northeastern Ohio out of work.

In total, manufacturing industries were down 4 per cent in the October-to-October comparison and 3 per cent in the 10-month period.

Mines and quarries provided a bright spot as they tried to meet growing energy demands by employing 4 per cent more in October 1974 than a year earlier.

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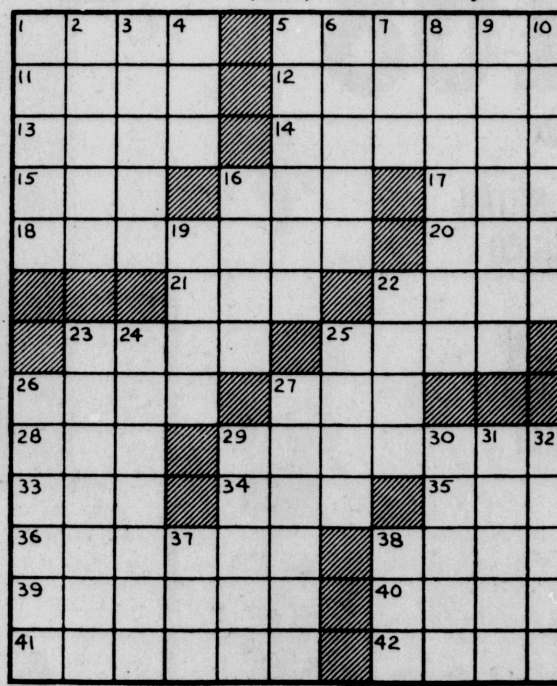
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| 11 Ancient Syria | 3 Candle |
| 12 Make accordant | 4 Uncle in Dundee |
| 13 Addict or sheet | 5 Beauty parlor treatment |
| 14 Possibility | 6 Frome or Allen |
| 15 Wooden core | 7 One — time (2 wds.) |
| 16 Inlet | 8 Tired out |
| 17 Monkly title | 9 Clapped the hands |
| 18 UFO occupant? | 10 Considered |
| 20 Mining find | 16 Tiny brook |
| 21 Building addition | |
| 22 Was in debt | |
| 23 Semi-precious stone | |
| 25 Body of water | |
| 26 Boring | |
| 27 Shriner's cap | |
| 28 Call — day (2 wds.) | |
| 29 Propriety | |
| 33 Smacking of malt | |
| 34 Exasperate | |
| 35 — pro nobis | |
| 36 German art songs | |
| 38 Turkish standard | |
| 39 Infuriate | |
| 40 Florida county | |
| 41 Tyrant | |
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Yesterday's Answer

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| 19 Shade of blue | 29 Painter Rivera |
| 22 Seep | 30 Baseball's Ryan |
| 23 Contour | 31 Belief statement |
| 24 Score-card entrants | 32 Mandarin's residence |
| 25 Little kiss | 37 Drop bait |
| 26 Used the phone | 38 Oklahoma city |
| 27 — out (find) | |



DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it: AXYDLBAAXR is LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

CRYPTOQUOTE

KXM NOHM EFB HMMPH MRMIJ-
KXOBL OB XOEHMAD; KXM OL-
BVIFBK EFB KIOMH KV LMK MRMIJ-
KXOBL DIVE HVEMGVTJ MAHM.—

SXOBMHM YXOAVHVYXJ
Yesterday's Cryptoquote: THE BEST WAY TO MAKE CHILDREN GOOD IS TO MAKE THEM HAPPY. — OSCAR WILDE

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Dear Abby:

ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

Three's a crowd when one's the ex

DEAR ABBY: What can be done about an ex-spouse who continues to call after the former mate remarries? My wife receives one to three calls every day from her exhusband who calls to chat with her about minor day-to-day events.

She allows this because they parted the "best of friends" and she says she feels sorry for him because he is so lonely now.

I have requested that she terminate the old relationship because I feel it is an intrusion on our privacy, and an obstacle to our building a new life for ourselves.

What do you think?

AWKWARD THREESOME

DEAR THREESOME: I think your wife's ex-spouse is overdoing the friendliness. She could put an end to it if she wanted to. Be more emphatic about your objections. They're legitimate. Your feelings should take priority over his. He had his chance.

DEAR ABBY: Six months ago, my husband's mother died, leaving an adult brain-damaged brother in our care. Abby, there last few months have been physical and mental torture for me. I've tried, but caring for my brother-in-law is too much for me to handle. My husband is gone all day, and the whole burden is on me. This brother is a grown man, but has the mentality of a three-year-old. He's in diapers and is frequently violent.

My husband will not even consider a home for his brother because he says he promised his mother on her deathbed that he would never put his brother in an institution. Money is not the issue.

At this point I don't know who I resent more—my dead mother-in-law, my brother-in-law or my husband. Can you help me?

DESPERATE

DEAR DESPERATE: If you can't get through to your husband, get someone whose opinion he values to talk to him. Deathbed promises are usually emotionally charged, and therefore not necessarily binding.

No woman should have to bear the burden of caring for a grown man with the mentality of a three-year-old simply because her husband demands it. No way.

DEAR ABBY: My daughter and I had a rather heated argument. Her oldest child is adopted, and we love him as much as we love her two younger children, to whom she gave birth.

I told her that I think she is wrong to immediately tell everyone at parties, at work, at playgrounds, etc. that her oldest child is adopted. It seems totally unnecessary, but she tells this the minute she meets someone.

The boy is nearly six now, and I think it's fine to tell HIM that he's adopted, but who else's business is it?

If she went around telling people that her two younger children were natural born, they would say, "So what?" By the same token, why say, "My oldest son is adopted?"

May I have your opinion.

HER MOTHER

DEAR MOTHER: I agree. Children should be told that they are adopted just as soon as they can understand what it means, but I see no point in announcing it to the general public.

DEAR ABBY: In a Biology class at Harrisonville High School in Mississippi, we were recently asked the following question: "Where were we when our parents were born?"

After a poll among the teachers was taken, no one was able to come up with a satisfactory answer, therefore we are seeking your expert advice.

J.H. GILMER (TEACHER)

DEAR TEACHER: Where is anything-or-anyone-before it (or they) existed? The answer, obviously, is "nowhere."

Coal union may boost picketing

CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) — United Mine Workers construction workers who idled about a quarter of the nation's bituminous coal miners by picketing mines Friday may close even more mines Monday if a contract is not approved by that time, said District 6 spokesman Arthur Nelms.

Nelms' district, encompassing eastern Ohio and West Virginia's Northern Panhandle, was the scene of some of the picketing activity.

Negotiations continued Friday between the UMW and the Association of Bituminous Contractors, the mine construction industry group which employs 4,000-4,500 UMW members. A contract was tentatively approved earlier in the week but was later turned down by the UMW's 38-member bargaining council, which must approve a pact before it is put to a rank-and-file vote.

Picketing was suspended in most areas when the tentative accord was announced but pickets were back on the march after the bargaining council's decision. Scattered mines in Pennsylvania and West Virginia employing an estimated 30,000 miners — about a quarter of the United Mine Workers active membership — were idled by pickets Friday.

Union sources said the bargaining council rejected the contract because of failure to win travel pay and seniority provisions concerning layoffs.

Women's Interests

Saturday, December 14, 1974

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Class party held in parlors

Good fellowship and warm congeniality combined in making most enjoyable the annual Christmas party of In His Service Class held Tuesday afternoon in Grace United Methodist Church parlors. Thirteen members assembled for the brief business meeting and entertaining yuletide program. Joining the group was the pastor, Rev. Mark Dove.

Mrs. Henry Engle, class teacher, presided. Reports were given by Mrs. Maude Bumgarner, treasurer, and Mrs. C. S. Thompson, card chairman. It was voted to make a contribution of money for the church's Christmas baskets and to provide two poinsettias in helping to decorate the church sanctuary. Round-robin cards were circulated and signed for shut-in members.

The singing of the carol, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" opened the delightful program with Mrs. Claude

Davis, song leader, and Mrs. B. E. Kelley, accompanist. Impressively given by Mrs. Engle was the beautiful Christmas story from the Book of St. Luke. Season's sentiments were presented by Mrs. James Nilan, who read the poem "Christmas Recipe" by Evely Reis. "The Christmas Letter" by Nancy Esher, a selection from Ideals depicting the true significance of the holidays, was read by Mrs. Clarence Hackett. "Silent Night" was sung by the group, followed by a prayer.

A pleasant social hour followed and Mrs. Davis received the attractive door prize. Cleverly designed replicas of Santa's boot were the favors. Commemorating Christ's birthday a delicious cake was prepared for the party by Mrs. Gilbert Crouse. After singing "Happy Birthday" in his honor, the members were seated at colorfully decorated tables to enjoy the tempting variety of food.

Ladies Aid names officers

The New Martinsburg Ladies Aid met at the church when Mrs. Robert Bock, president, used for her opening thought, "The Road to Christmas." The nominating committee announced the following officers for 1975: President, Mrs. Bock; vice president, Mrs. Robert Ritter; secretary, Mrs. Edward Lee Carson; treasurer, Mrs. Russell Grice; press reporter, Mrs. Nathaniel Tway; flower chairman, Mrs. George Durnell; and nominating committee members are Mrs. C.F. Wilson, Mrs. Durnell and Mrs. Naomi Wing.

Members brought cookies for shut-ins and signed cards for the ill members.

"A Special Christmas" was the program title, and each present gave a Christmas reading. Mrs. Tway played a medley of holiday selections on the piano.

Refreshments were served by the officers. It was announced the January meeting will be held at the church with Mrs. Ritter as hostess.

Festive party honors Phi Beta Psi

Phi Beta Psi Sorority's annual Christmas party and initiation ceremony was held recently at the Lafayette Inn. During the social hour, pledge, associate, active and inactive members renewed friendships. President Mrs. Donald P. Woods graciously welcomed everyone to the festively decorated tables where a buffet meal was served.

The traditional candlelight ceremony led by Mrs. Don Wald initiated Mrs. Phil French, Mrs. Otis Hess, Mrs. Ron Jenkins, Mrs. John H. Roszmann, Mrs. Max Schlichter, Mrs. Dale Willis and Mrs. David Willis as new members.

The remainder of the evening was spent playing cards with prizes being awarded to Mrs. Dale Willis, Mrs. Charles Hire, Mrs. Sam Sauer, Mrs. Robert Sanderson and Mrs. Louis Baer. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. James Ward, Mrs. Frank Weade, Mrs. George Pommert and Mrs. Don Kirk.

Forest Chapter installation held on 75th anniversary

Amid an atmosphere of a birthday celebration the officers of Forest Chapter No. 122, Order of the Eastern Star, were installed for the Chapter's seventy-fifth year. The Temple was decorated for the occasion with a huge silver key in the East depicting the theme "Keys of Friendship."

Miss Arita A. Moats of Kettering, is continuing a second year as Worthy Matron with Mr. W. Harold Moats as Worthy Patron of the chapter. Mrs. Marvin E. Thornburg, Past Grand Matron, served as installing grand officer for the ceremony. Assisting with the grand installation were Mrs. Harold King, inviting grand marshal; Harold McConaughy, installing grand sentinel; David Pontious, Kingston, installing grand warder; Miss Nancy Hurtt, Washington C.H., installing grand organist; Marvin E. Thornburg, installing grand chaplain; Miss Carol Gaddis, Dayton, installing grand conductress; Mrs. William Meadows and Mrs. David Pontious, Kingston, installing grand marshals.

Installed along with Miss Moats were Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Thompson as associate patron and matron; Mrs. Charles L. Cunningham, secretary; Mrs. Zoe Garinger, treasurer; Miss Anne King, conductress; Mrs. Billy Howe, associate conductress; Mrs. Donald Denen, chaplain; Mrs. Jess Schlichter, marshal; Mrs. Anne Dorn, Adah; Miss Linda Waterman, Ruth; Mrs. Harold McConaughy, Esther; Mrs. Michael Simpson, Martha; Mrs. Virginia L. Moats, Electa; Mrs. Roy B. Smith, warder and Michael Simpson, sentinel.

Honored guests in attendance were Mrs. Thornburg, Mrs. Donna Junk, Frankfort Deputy Grand Matron in

District No. 23; Mrs. Georgia Powell, Grand Representative of Nova Scotia in Ohio; Mrs. Moats, Grand Representative of Texas in Ohio; and several visiting worthy matrons and patrons from other chapters. Twelve dedicated past matrons and patrons of Forest Chapter were in attendance.

Highlights of the opening session were the presentations of honorary memberships to Miss Hurtt, Royal Chapter No. 29 and Miss Gaddis, Beaver Valley Chapter No. 570. During the past year the chapter was visited by the Worthy Grand Matron who presented Mrs. Elton B. Elliott her 50-year membership pin and commissioned Mrs. Moats as a Grand Representative. The chapter was inspected by the deputy grand matron and has since added eight new members. The members held a "Sunday in Church" and later enjoyed dinner together at Anderson's Restaurant.

Mrs. Walter Haines has served as social chairman during 1974 and will be continuing this coming year. She was assisted by Mrs. Cecil Rogers and other officers during the evening of installation. Miss Gaddis, Mrs. King and Mr. Walter Haines assisted with registration and chair committees.

The reception table was beautiful with white linen and purple and crystal appointments. Individual decorated cakes, ice cream, mints and nuts with coffee were served during the social hour.

Attending for the evening were members and guests from Washington C.H., Kettering, Circleville, Williamsport, Dayton, Frankfort, Kingston, Jeffersonville, New Holland, Middletown and Bloomingburg.

Holiday motif prevails

Mrs. J.O. Wilson was hostess when the Staunton United Methodist Women assembled in her home for a carry-in noon luncheon. Holiday cloths were on the tables and guests were presented poinsettia corsages.

During the business meeting, Mrs. Alice Bush called the meeting to order. The Christmas Story was read by Mrs. Donald Pemberton, assisted by Mrs. Lois Harper, who read "Christmas In Other Lands." Mrs. Pemberton also gave reports, and the 14 members present answered roll call by telling the meaning of Christmas to them.

Jenny Adams Circle meets

Mrs. Albert Caplinger was hostess when the Jenny Adams Circle of First Baptist Church met. Mrs. Frank Reno and Mrs. Emily Coberly were co-hostesses. Decorations were of a holiday theme and gifts were placed under the tree for the gift exchange.

Mrs. Robert West read a reading written by Peter Marshall. For roll call, members gave a Christmas thought or verse Mrs. Olive Brookover presented devotions by reading the Christmas Story from the Book of St. Luke, and the 'least coin' and love offerings were taken. Cards were signed for the ill.

Mrs. Eugene Thompson presented the program entitled "Keeping Christ in Christmas." She was assisted by Mrs. Myrtle Swayne, Mrs. Ralph Wolford, Mrs. John Baker, Mrs. West, Mrs. Reno and Mrs. Thompson, who had stars with thoughts inscribed. They hung them on the tree, and carols were sung.

A dessert course was served to 17 members and Mrs. John Drummond and children from Mount Sterling, who were guests.

A work session is planned at the church at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 165.

It was announced that at 10 a.m. Dec. 16, the members will meet in the home of Mrs. Walter Parrett to prepare 29 cheer plates for shut-ins.

Mrs. Parrett presented the program entitled, "What You Bring on Christmas." A gift exchange followed.

Those present were Mrs. Alice Bush, Mrs. Ralph Barger, Mrs. Henry Simmons, Mrs. Maude Schubert, Mrs. Pemberton, Mrs. J.O. Wilson, Mrs. Harry Hayslip, Mrs. Parrett, Mrs. Elza Smith, Mrs. Florence Bethards, Mrs. Willard Allen, Mrs. Homer Wilson, Mrs. Harper and Mr. Wilson.

The next meeting is planned for Jan. 14, with Mrs. Florence Bethards as hostess.

Youth Activities

BOY SCOUTS

"Troop Attention" was announced by Doug Binegar as he opened the meeting of Boy Scout Troop 67, and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Dannie Maxie gave the Scout Oath, followed by Mark Hoppes with the Scout Laws.

We were told that next week we will have a fireman from the Jeffersonville Fire House as our guest. He will be there to help interested Boy Scouts with the Firemanship Merit Badge. John Milstead then read to the group the requirements to get that badge.

A special note to the people in the Pioneer Patrol: all are to be at the paper drive the first Saturday in January.

The recreation consisted of two games: Panthers and the Panthers, and Steal the Bacon. The Panthers won both games.

Mike Toppins, scribe

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, DEC. 15

Fayette Grandmothers Club Christmas supper, party and gift exchange at 5:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. L.W. Herbst.

MONDAY, DEC. 16

Twenty Club meets with Mrs. Charles Pfersick at 8 p.m. for Christmas party and gift exchange.

Burnett-Ducey VFW Auxiliary 496 Christmas dinner and party for members and families at 6:30 p.m. Covered dish dinner. Bring own table service.

Dill Circle No. 10 of Grace United Methodist Church meets at 8 p.m. in the home of Miss Marian Moore. Gift exchange.

Mothers' Circle meets at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. James Kiger. Program by MTHS Folksingers.

Women of Saint Colman Catholic Church Christmas party and potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. in St. Colman Hall. Entertainment and gift exchange, with officers in charge. Thanks to all who helped make the bazaar a success.

TUESDAY, DEC. 17

Christian Women's Fellowship at First Christian Church at 7:30 p.m.

Ann Judson Circle of First Baptist Church meets with Mrs. Eugene Alkire, 526 Pearl St., at 7:30 p.m.

Jeffersonville chapter, OES, meets at 8 p.m. in Masonic Temple for Christmas party and \$1.00 gift exchange. Carry-in sandwiches and salads.

Greene Township Homemakers Club noon luncheon and gift exchange in the home of Mrs. Everett Page, 1117 Golfview Dr.

Prayer breakfast at 6:45 a.m. in South Side Church of Christ. For students of MTHS and WSHS grades nine through 12.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 18

Posy Garden Club Christmas dinner and gift exchange (handcrafted items), Wardell Party Home at noon.

D of A meets in FRW Hall, W. Elm St., at 6:30 p.m. for carry-in supper, Christmas party and \$2.00 gift exchange.

Mrs. Robert Fries
WOMEN'S PAGE EDITOR
Phone 335-3611

Maple Grove United Methodist Women Christmas party and gift exchange at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Harold Craven. Bring cookies and candy.

Washington Garden Club carry-in dinner and \$2.00 gift exchange at 11:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Robert H. Wilson.

Loyal Daughters

A turkey dinner and all the trimmings was enjoyed by the Loyal Daughters of First Christian Church when they assembled in the dining room of the church for the annual holiday carry-in and party. Tables were festive with holiday decorations and each place was marked by small candles and miniature testaments.

Mrs. Eugene Cowman gave the invocation and the committee was composed of Mrs. Ted Merritt, Mrs. Ruth Jenkins and Mrs. Esther Edwards. Mrs. Orpha Willis gave the opening prayer and Mrs. Edwards conducted the business session. Reports were made and cards signed for shut-ins. Mrs. Zoe Folis and Mrs. Merritt will prepare and deliver cheer plates to four shut-ins of the church.

Cash donations were made to the A.C.P. Bowling Green University fund, Grant and Jane Ann Hammond, missionaries in Ontario, Canada, Prayer Breakfast fund, and in lieu of a gift exchange, money will be sent to the Mountain Mission School at Grundy, Va.

For the program, Mrs. Merritt read the Christmas Story, a piano solo entitled "Chestnuts Roasting on an Open Fire" by Leslie Harrison, a vocal solo by Denise Matthews, with Susan Brown accompanist. Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Folis both read poems. The carol sing by the group was enjoyed with Susan Brown and Cheryl White as the accompanists.

Mrs. Kathryn Morgan and Mrs. John Harrison were guests.

Mrs. Chester Clay of 912 E. Market St., has returned home from Laurel, Md., where she spent a week visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Clay and family.

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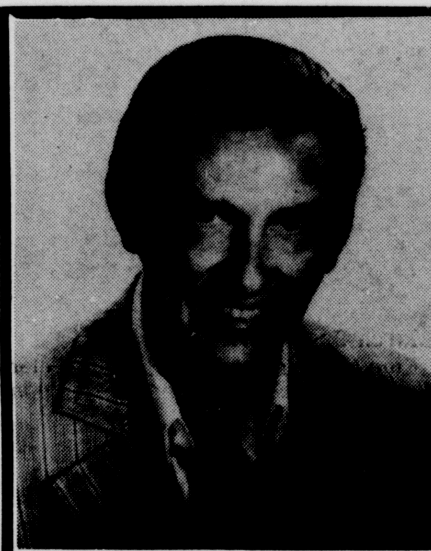
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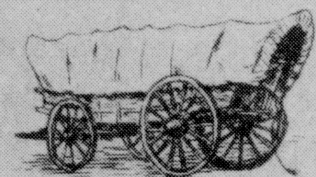


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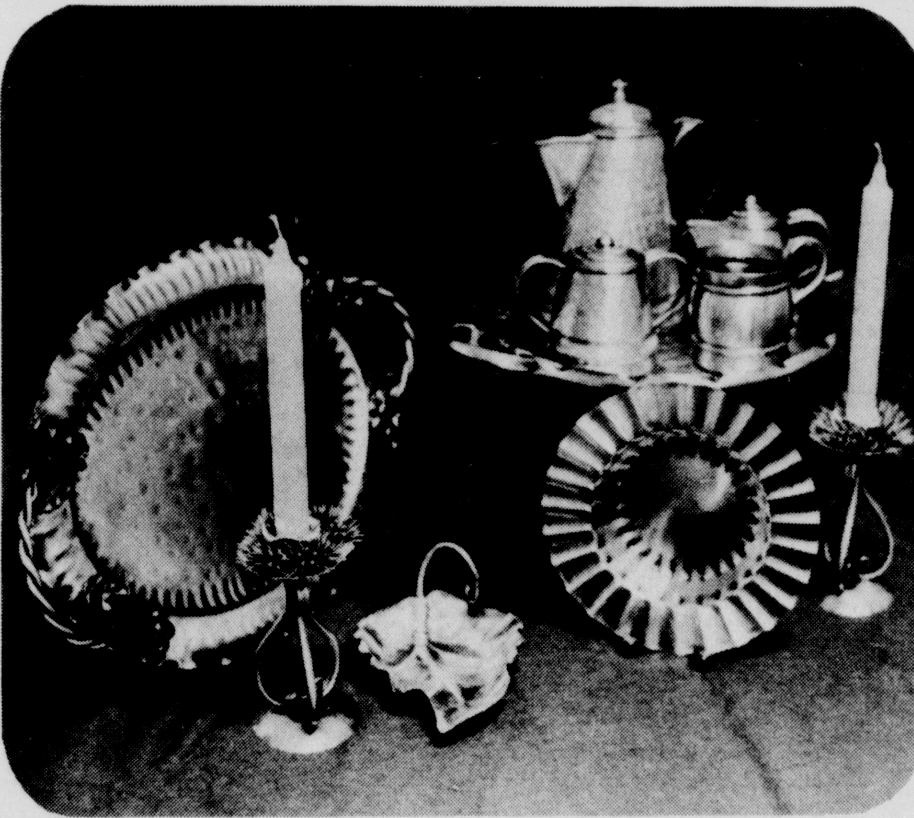
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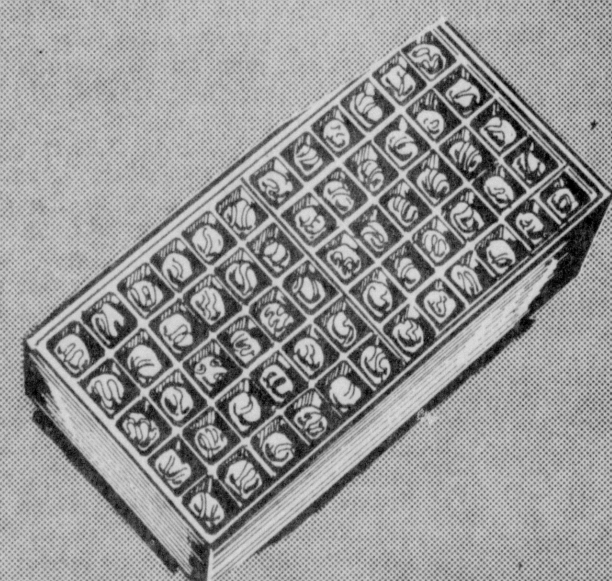
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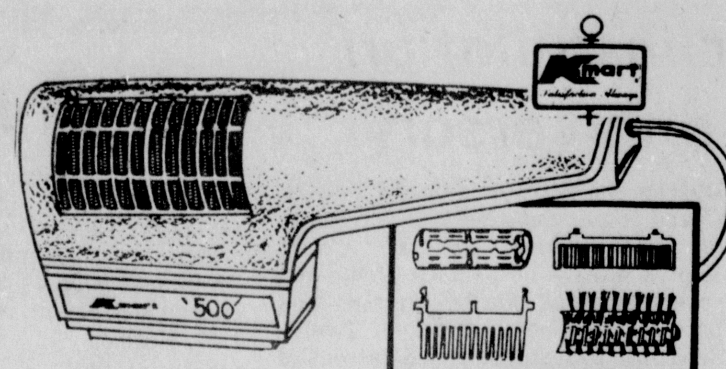
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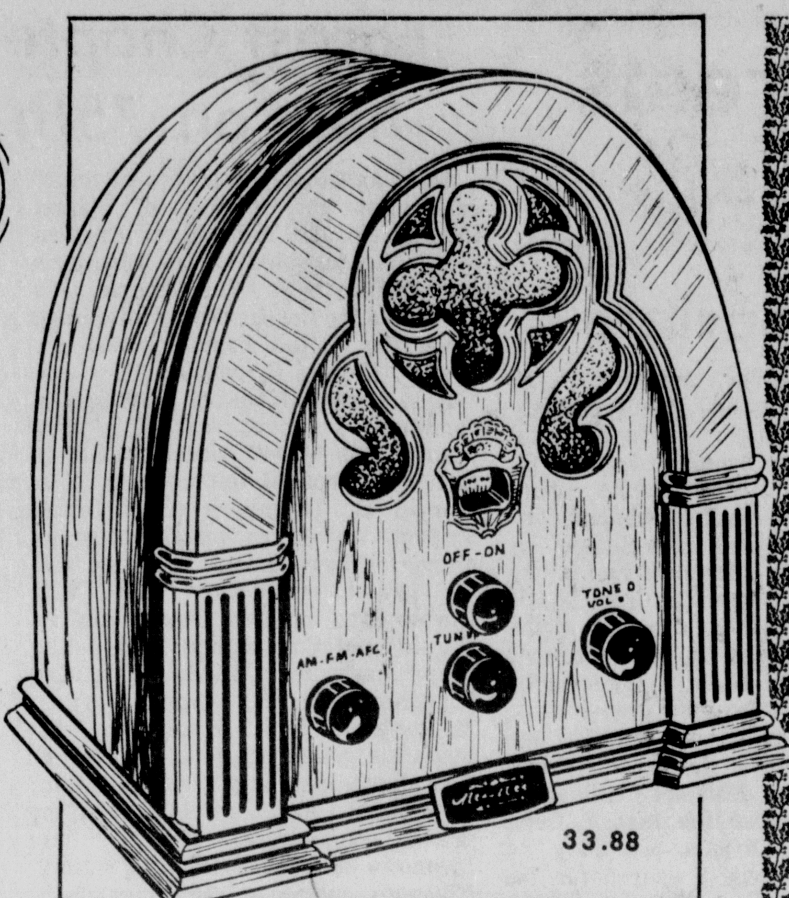
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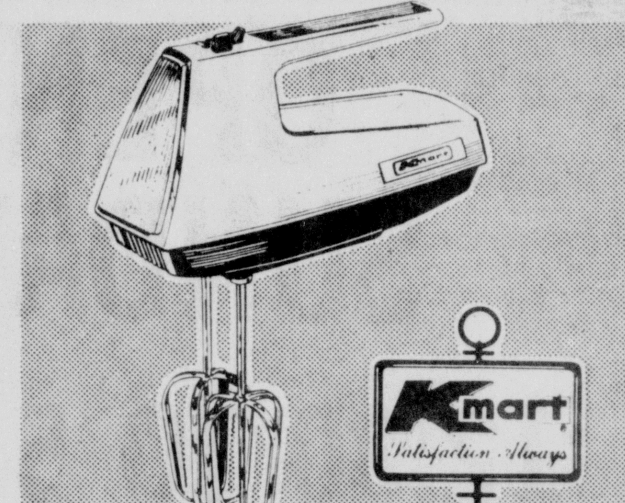


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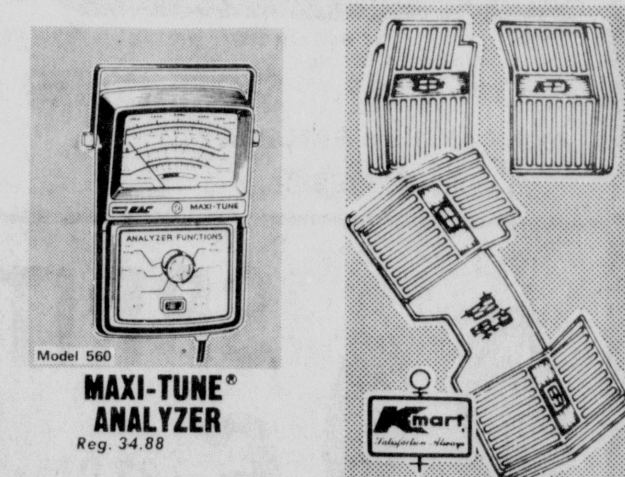


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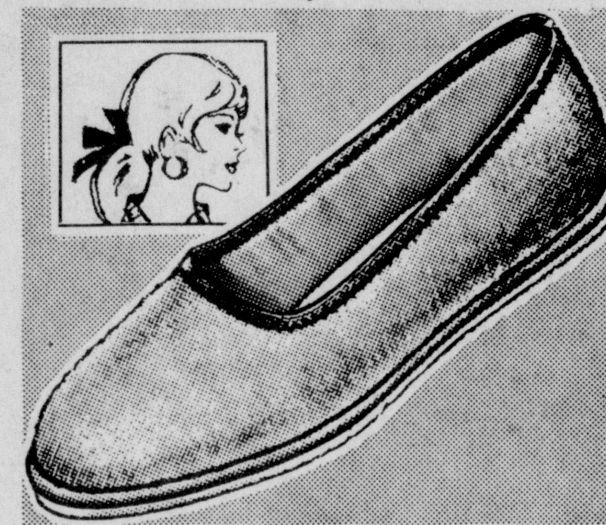


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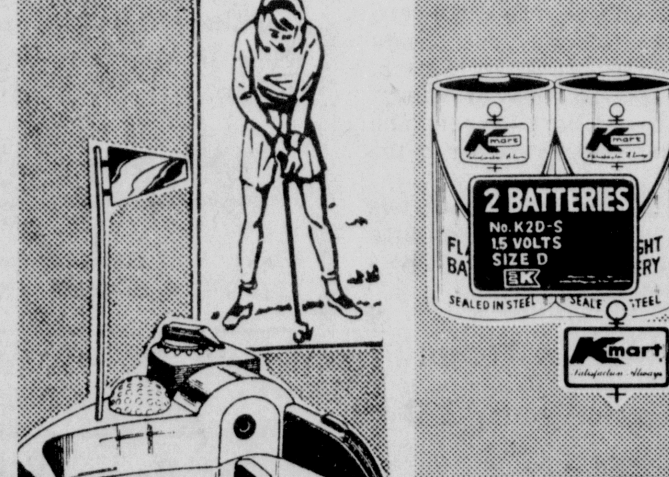


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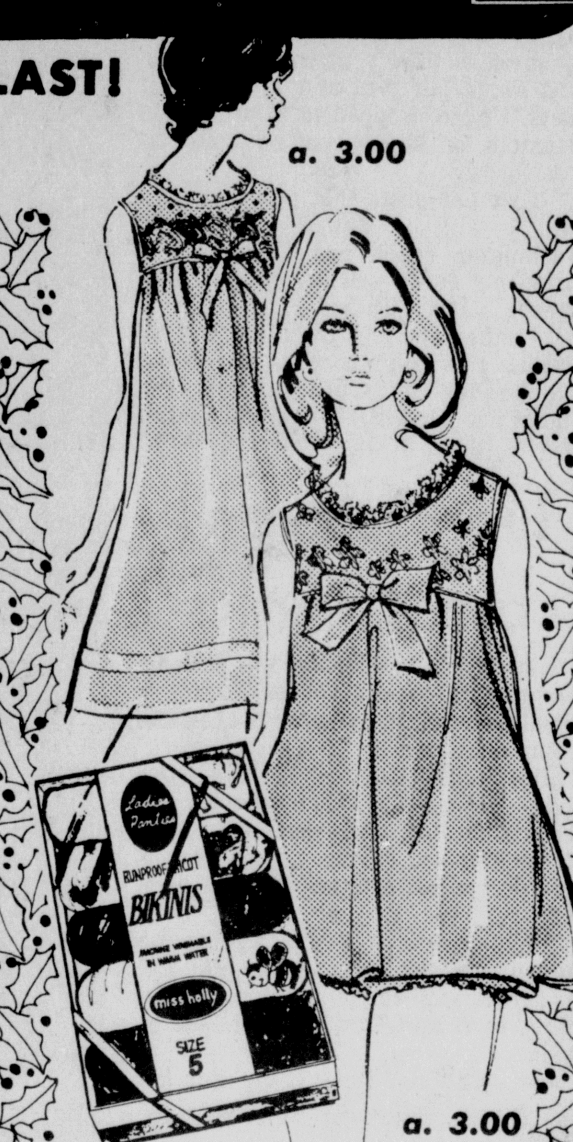
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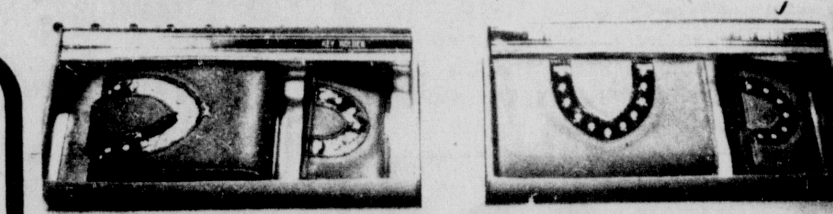


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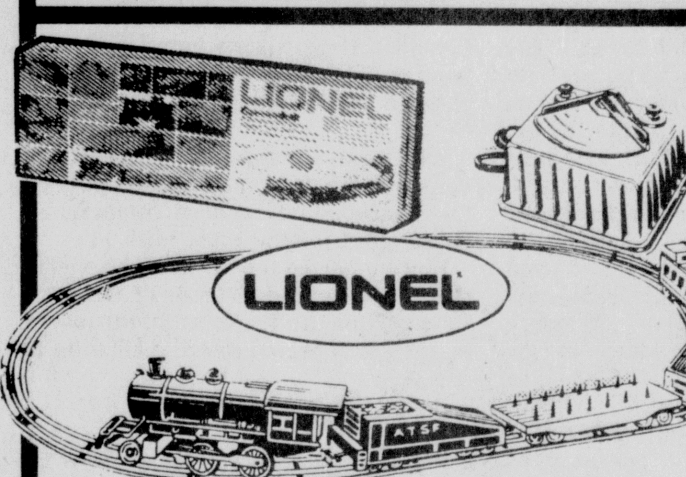
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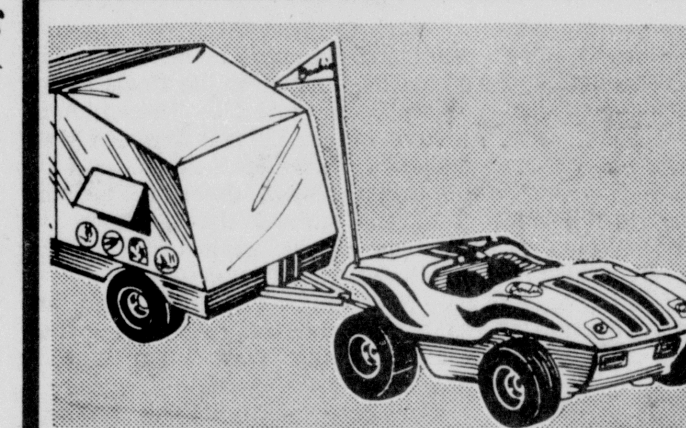
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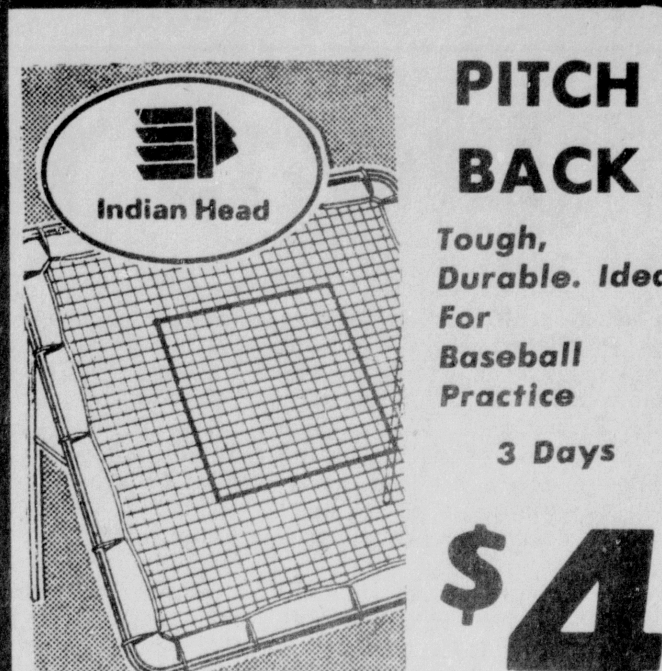


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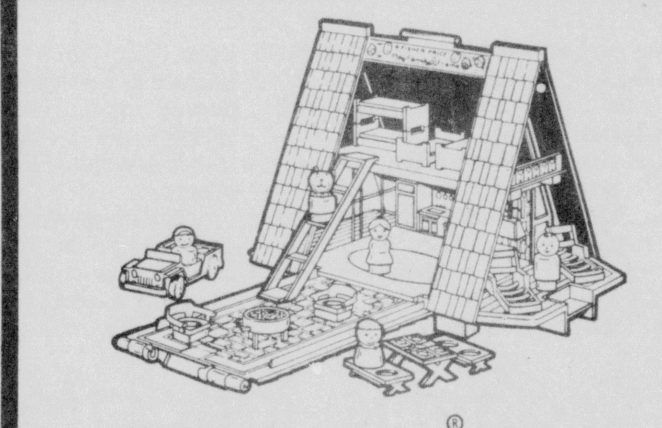
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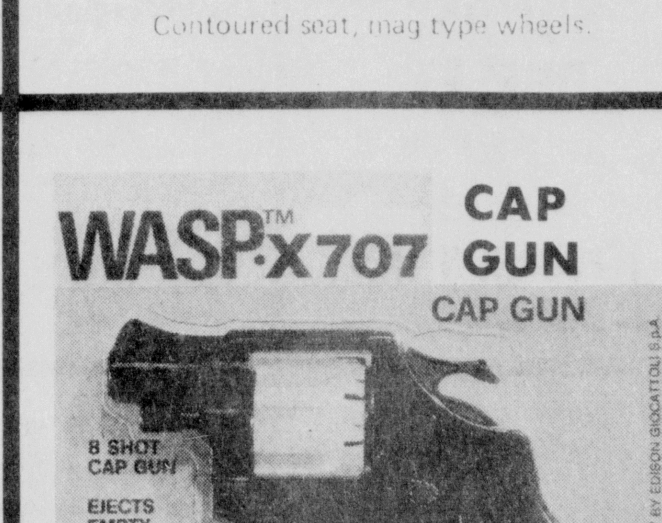
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Fourth quarter rally thwarts Tanks

Lions take first SCOL win, 69-66

BY LARRY WATTS
Record-Herald Sports Editor

Washington found out just how much the home court and home crowd support can help determine the outcome of a game, Friday night. Playing their first home contest of the season, the Blue Lions silenced Unioto for nearly the last four minutes in pulling out a spectacular come-from-behind 69-66 victory.

Not only did the victory give the Lions their second win in five outings, but Court House evened its record at 1-1 in the South Central Ohio League. With the defeat, the Shermans are still searching for their first SCOL triumph with a 0-3 mark and 1-3 slate overall.

For the better part of the first three periods, Unioto held the upper hand on the scoreboard, but the Lions remained within striking distance. The combination of Chuck Byrd's smooth shooting, the rebounding of Doug Phillips and the fourth quarter performance of Craig Shaffer allowed Washington to out-score the visitors 18-9 in the final stanza and key the victory.

While the remainder of the Lions were having trouble finding their shooting eyes, Byrd helped his squad keep close by popping in 18 points in the

second half. Although he did not start because illness forced him to miss the last two days of school, Byrd came off the bench and led all scorers with 24 points for the night.

Despite being out-manned by the Tanks on the boards, Phillips fought hard to pick off 13 caroms. Phillips canned 21 points as he and Byrd combined for all of the Lions' 16 points in the third canto.

Shaffer, the senior co-captain who has been suffering from a badly pulled thigh muscle, started to show signs of his old form in the final frame. In scoring 13 points, it was a jump shot by Shaffer with 39 seconds to play that tied the score at 66-66.

After trailing for most of the game, Washington received a big break in the opening of the final eight minutes. With 7:41 left in the game, Byrd cashed in on a layup. As Byrd was fouled on the drive, a fight broke out at midcourt between Unioto's fiery senior guard, Steve Frey, and the Lions' freshman center, John Denen.

With both players being ejected from the game, the fight worked to the advantage of the Lions. Although Washington had lost some of its rebounding potential, the Shermans had lost their floor general. Without their floor leader, the Tanks had to play with one of their forwards operating as a guard, a move which cost them eight turnovers in the fourth quarter.

After Frey left the game, the Shermans managed to holdoff the Lions until there was 3:54 left in the game. At this time, Scott Brumfield sank a foul shot to give Unioto a 66-60 margin, but this would be the last point of the evening for the Ross Countians.

With a pair of free throws by Shaffer and a steal by Phillips, Washington was

down 66-64 with 3:04 remaining. However, the tying bucket seemed to be eluding Court House as shot after shot kept bouncing off the iron.

Finally, Shaffer stole the ball from Jeff Throckmorton and drove down for his tying jump shot with 39 seconds left in the game. Shaffer was fouled after the shot and he made the first free throw for a 67-66 Washington lead. His second free throw missed, but Washington controlled the rebound and the game for the remaining time. Unioto had to resort to fouling Byrd, who clamy sank two free throws to ice the contest with five seconds to play.

Unioto's 6-foot-8 center Greg Alcorn, who spent several minutes on the bench in foul trouble, led the Shermans with 16 points. Greg Anderson pumped in 14 points. Throckmorton and Pat Kerns chipped in 13 and 10 points, respectively.

With the considerable height advantage, the Shermans out-rebounded the Lions 45-34. Alcorn topped all rebounders for the night with 14.

For one of the few times this season, turnovers worked in favor of the Blue Lions. While the Tanks' eight turnovers in the fourth period raised their total to

21, Washington lost the ball just 10 times.

Both teams suffered through a poor night in the shooting department. The Lions netted 27 of 71 attempts from the field for 38 per cent and 15 of 26 foul shots. Unioto dropped in 24 of 60 field attempts for 40 per cent and 18 of 25 free throws.

"If we can shoot that poor and still win, I will be happy," remarked Washington coach Gary Shaffer. "I think this game will serve as a confidence builder for us."

If Shaffer is right, the Lions will be needing this confidence as they head into Tuesday's game at Greenfield. The Tigers are presently 4-1 on the season and 2-1 in the SCOL.

Lion jayvees blast Tanks

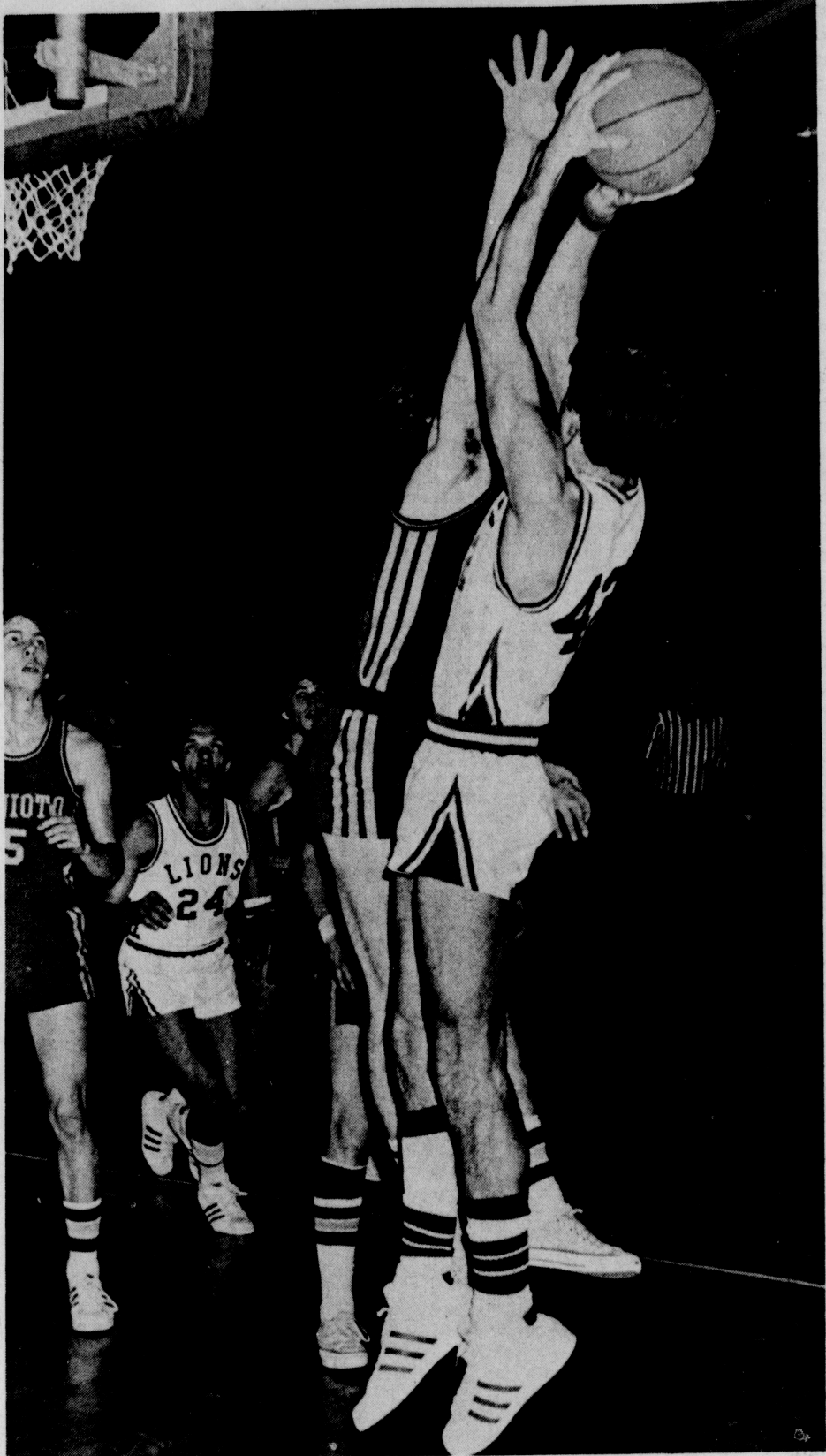
With 11 players hitting the scoring column, Washington's reserve team pounded the Unioto jayvees 71-37 in the preliminary contest.

After leading 30-17 at halftime, the Lions came back and destroyed the Shermans in the second half. Washington out-scored Unioto 19-6 in the third period and 22-14 in the final frame.

Three players hit double figures for the winners. Sam McClendon was the top scorer with 12 points. Mark Burke tossed in 11 and Tony Tyree added 10 points.

With 13 points, Steve Uhrig was the only player to hit double figures for Unioto.

Washington's reserve team is now 2-3 for the season and 1-1 in the South Central Ohio League. Unioto's record drops to 0-3 in the league and 0-4 overall.



LOOKING FOR TWO — Washington's John Denen attempts to let a shot fly over the outstretched hand of an unidentified Unioto defender during Friday night's action. The Lions came from behind to win their home opener of the season, 69-66. (Jeff Henry Photo)

SPORTS

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Host teams lead tournaments

There's no place like home for the holidays ... and there's no place like home for the holiday basketball tournaments, either.

The host team more often than not wins these homegrown "classics"—and that's the way this weekend seems to be turning out. The trend was obvious in the opening round of five tourneys Friday night.

—In the Marshall Memorial

Invitational, Marshall whipped Long Island University 90-79 in overtime and plowed into a meeting against Oral Roberts in tonight's finals. Oral Roberts whipped Idaho State 59-55 in its opener.

—Tennessee defeated Navy 86-59 and charged into the finals of the Volunteer Classic against Harvard, a surprise 77-76 victor over Cincinnati.

—Arizona, the nation's 17th-ranked

team, and Arizona State headed toward a meeting tonight in the finals of the Fiesta Bowl Classic at Tucson, Ariz. Arizona whipped Illinois 78-66 and State defeated Kansas State 80-69.

—Kansas, No. 9, defeated Fordham 78-74 and gained the finals of its Jayhawk Classic against Washington, which defeated Temple 54-46.

—And Utah overwhelmed Army 109-84, gaining the final round of the Utah Classic against West Virginia, 82-80 winner over Weber State.

Elsewhere, sixth-ranked Southern Cal turned back Nevada-Reno 97-84 and No. 18 Oregon whipped Nevada-Las Vegas 94-77.

Box score

WASHINGTON C.H. (71) — Heiny (1-0-2); Burke (5-1-11); Elliott (3-2-8); DeWeese (1-0-2); Foster (4-0-8); Tyree (5-0-10); Johnson (1-3-5); Qualls (1-0-2); Dean (2-1-5); McClendon (6-0-12); and Stewart (3-0-6); Total (32-7-71).

UNIOTO (37) — Uhrig (5-3-13); Baker (1-0-2); Daily (2-2-6); Davis (2-3-7); Allemann (0-2-2); and Kerns (2-3-7); Total (12-13-37).

SCORING BY QUARTERS:
Washington C.H. 15 15 19 22—71
Unioto 5 12 6 14—37

Circleville leads league with win over McClain

Circleville gained sole possession of first place in the South Central Ohio League by downing Greenfield 71-66, Friday night. In other league action, Hillsboro defeated Wilmington 65-50.

Both of the Tiger teams shot over 50 per cent from the field, but McClain's chances seemed to slip away when Steve Willett and Steve Harvey had both fouled out of the game with three minutes left to play.

Led by Perry Hoskins with 17 points, four players hit double figures for Circleville. Biff Bumgarner added 16, while Harold Reed and George Moore each had 14.

Jeff Holsinger led McClain with 16 points. Bill Flynn followed with 14 and Harvey had 11.

With the victory, Circleville is now 6-0 for the year and 3-0 in the league. McClain is 4-1 for the season and 2-1 in the SCOL.

Even without Kevin Bailey, who had an injured ankle, the Indians still had little trouble with the Hurricane. Al McKenzie led Hillsboro with 18 points, while Andy Copeland had 14 for the losers.

Hillsboro is now 3-1 for the season and 2-1 in the league. Wilmington falls to a record of 0-3 overall and 0-2 in the SCOL.

Box scores

CIRCLEVILLE (71) — Bumgarner (5-6-16); Hoskins (8-1-17); Mancini (1-0-2); Reed (5-4-14); Moore (5-4-14); McCoy (2-0-4); and Spangler (1-2-4); Total (27-17-71).

GREENFIELD (66) — Harvey (4-3-11); Willett (2-0-4); McCoy (4-0-8); Stewart (1-0-2); Barr (5-1-11); Holsinger (8-0-16); and Flynn (5-4-14); Total (29-8-66).

SCORING BY QUARTERS:
Circleville 15 18 17 21—71
Greenfield 9 18 22 17—66
Reserve Game: Circleville 46, Greenfield 39.

HILLSBORO (65) — Sharkey (3-2-8); M. Fuller (3-3-9); Seeling (2-3-7); Wilson (1-0-2); Zink (3-2-8); Burns (1-2-4); McKenzie (7-4-18); and T. Fuller (3-3-9); Total (23-19-65).

WILMINGTON (50) — Achtermann (1-1-3); Crowe (1-0-2); Berlin (2-0-4); Burns (1-0-2); Hart (1-3-5); Earley (0-2-2); Copeland (7-0-14); B. Williams (4-4-12); and G. Williams (3-0-6); Total (20-10-50).

SCORING BY QUARTERS:
Wilmington 12 11 7 20—50
Hillsboro 14 20 14 17—65
Reserve Game: Wilmington 55, Hillsboro 38.

Marshall, led by Kenny Hurst, fought from behind to beat LIU in their tense, overtime struggle. Hurst fired in five of his 22 points in the overtime.

Led by sophomore Anthony Roberts, Oral Roberts jumped off to a 31-25 halftime lead and was never headed. Roberts poured in 19 points and hauled down 17 rebounds. Idaho State fought back to within two points twice in the second half, once at 33-31 and again in the final minute of the game.

Bernard King scored 30 points to help Tennessee beat Navy. Harvard victimized Cincinnati on a last-minute field goal by guard Jonas Honick.

Arizona State built an 11-point lead and then used inside muscle and the fast break to coast past Kansas State. Al Fleming and Bob Elliott combined for 27 second-half points to lead Arizona's victory.

Kansas broke loose with a barrage of late free throws, nine by Roger Morningstar, and finally turned back stubborn Fordham. Undefeated Washington, after its 16-point lead was cut to four, utilized a five-point outburst by Clarence Ramsey to take Temple.

Southern Cal whipped Nevada-Reno behind Gus Williams' 17 points.

Bowl season opens today

By The Associated Press

Two college football championships were on the line today as the bowl season moved into high gear.

Delaware and Central Michigan clashed in the Camellia Bowl at Sacramento, Calif., with the winner claiming the NCAA college division crown. At Kingsville, Tex., Henderson State and Texas A&I met with the NAIA Division I title at stake.

Today's games started a month-long post-season schedule that concludes Jan. 11 with the Senior Bowl game at

Mobile, Ala. The tradition-filled Rose, Orange, and Cotton Bowls are on New Year's Day with the Sugar Bowl the night before. All match major colleges and universities shooting for national prestige.

But smaller schools with outstanding records dominated today's action.

The Camellia Bowl, climax of the NCAA College Division championship playoffs, matched two teams that concentrate on a ball control, grind-it-out offense.

Central Michigan took an 11-game winning streak into the championship game. The Chippewas lost only their first game of the season and that was against Kent State, a major school. Delaware, 12-1, lost only to another big school, Temple.

Sophomore tailback Walt Hodges, who has gained 100 or more yards in 10 consecutive games and totaled 1,581 for the season, was Central Michigan's chief ground weapon. Quarterback Mike Franckowiak passed for more than 1,000 yards and nine touchdowns while rushing for 457 and 13 scores.

Delaware displayed two 1,000-yard rushers—Vern Roberts and Nate Beasley, against a weakened Central Michigan defense that played without its top lineman, end Mark Bennett, who underwent knee surgery earlier in the week.

The NAIA title game matched two opposites—Texas A&I's explosive offense against Henderson State's stingy defense.

A&I, 12-0, averaged almost 450 yards per game with senior Don Hardeman grinding out 1,426 yards and freshman Larry Collins adding 1,308—both accounting for 31 touchdowns. Quarterback Richard Ritchie completed 80 passes for 1,248 yards and also rushed for 480 yards.

State's defense surrendered only six touchdowns all season. The Reddies yielded an average of 164.8 yards per game during the season and in the semifinal playoff, Henderson yielded only five yards net offense to Elon College.

On offense, State depended on sophomore tailback Joe Henderson, who scored 10 touchdowns and gained 1,287 yards.

Buffalo tops N.Y. Knicks

By The Associated Press

When it comes to poise, you can't beat Jack Ramsay's boys.

"I thought it was a tremendous comeback," the Buffalo coach said after his team bounced back from an 11-point deficit in the fourth period to beat the New York Knicks 108-104 Friday night.

The Braves were losing 95-84 midway through the fourth period before accelerating and putting the brakes on the Knicks. Buffalo outscored New York 17-2, climbed into the driver's seat and drove away.

"We're really a poised team now," said Buffalo's Ken Charles. "When we were down by 11 points, we had a timeout and talked about it. We knew we weren't running and we weren't getting the shots we wanted."

"We got a couple of easy shots ... toughened up on defense a little more. We hit a few more and there it was."

Bob McAdoo, their big gun with 42 points and 23 rebounds, later hit two foul shots for Buffalo's winning points. Jack Marin contributed 21 points to the Buffalo attack. Walt Frazier led the Knicks with 22 points and Earl Monroe added 20.

In the other NBA games, the Washington Bullets stopped the Boston Celtics 108-99; the Chicago Bulls ripped the New Orleans Jazz 109-76; the Kansas City-Omaha Kings turned back the Detroit Pistons 88-84; the Phoenix Suns nipped the Cleveland Cavaliers 85-84; the Philadelphia 76ers trimmed the Milwaukee Bucks 93-89, and the Los Angeles Lakers whipped the Seattle SuperSonics 109-93.

Spurs thump Memphis

By The Associated Press

Bob Bass, who was Memphis general manager Friday but becomes San Antonio coach today, had no problem of divided loyalties Friday night when the Sounds hosted the Spurs.

"There's no question, I was for San Antonio," said Bass. "A guy who gets a chance to come back with a ball club like this had to be happy."

Bass got his wish as the Spurs thumped Memphis 118-94. George Gervin scored 26 points and James Silas added 18 for the winners.

Elsewhere in the ABA, New York dumped Utah 100-85, Indiana trimmed Kentucky 114-108 and San Diego beat Virginia 91-79.

Bass, who has coached at Memphis, Denver and Florida among his many ABA positions, was named to succeed Tom Nissalke, fired in an apparent front office dispute. Nissalke is talking with his lawyer and plans a press conference Monday to tell his side of the story.

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NFL teams fighting for pride

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer
Except for the St. Louis Cardinals and Washington Redskins, this is "pride week" in the National Football League.

The Cards and 'Skins are vying for the one remaining division championship, the National Conference East, with the loser of the duel settling for the NFC's wild-card playoff berth. But for the rest of the league, nothing is riding on the 14th week of action except perhaps a winning or break-even season, maybe a slightly better position in the final standings, possibly a push toward next year's salary negotiations...and a lot of pride.

St. Louis and Washington are tied atop the NFC East, each at 9-4. A few weeks ago, the Cardinals appeared to have a lock on the title, leading the Redskins by three games and, as recently as three weeks ago, needing just one more victory to wrap it up. But the Cards, who blew out to a 7-0 record in the first half of the season, have come upon hard times, losing their last two games and four of their last six. Conversely, the Redskins have won five of their last six to turn a runaway into a dogfight.

Now it comes down to Sunday's two major games, the Cards vs. the New York Giants in St. Louis and the Redskins vs. Chicago in Washington.

If the Cardinals win—and they're seven-point favorites—they'll take the title no matter what Washington does since they beat the 'Skins in both meetings this year.

But if St. Louis ties or loses and the Redskins whip Chicago—they're 10-point favorites—it'll be Washington that takes the title.

Whichever team wins the NFC East will open the playoffs Saturday, Dec. 21 in Minnesota against the Vikings, champs of the Central Division. The wild-card team will play in Los Angeles Sunday, Dec. 22 against the Rams, who took the Western crown.

The American Conference playoff setup was decided last weekend when Miami took the Eastern title and the Pittsburgh Steelers won the Central Division. The Dolphins, gunning for an unprecedented third straight Super Bowl title, play the AFC West-winning Raiders in Oakland on Dec. 21 and the Buffalo Bills, wild-card winners in the conference, are at Pittsburgh the following day.

In two afternoon games today, Cincinnati was at Pittsburgh and Minnesota visited Kansas City. Tonight, Dallas plays at Oakland.

Along with the Giants-Cards and Bears-Redskins games, Sunday's

season wrapups have Green Bay at Atlanta, New England at Miami, Detroit at Philadelphia, the New York Jets at Baltimore, Cleveland at Houston, Buffalo at Los Angeles, Denver at San Diego and New Orleans at San Francisco.

Perhaps best indicative of the "pride" factor present in some of Sunday's games are the contests involving Houston and Denver.

The Oilers are favored for only the second time this season, the other time when they opened the campaign against San Diego.

They beat the Chargers in that opener, then the roof caved in, the Oilers lost their next five in a row and some Houston fans began muttering about winding up with a third straight 1-13 season.

Since then, though, Houston has won five of six and takes a 6-7 record into the game against Cleveland, a team the Oilers never have beaten and a team which, until this year, had never finished last.

A victory by the Oilers and a loss by Cincinnati would put Houston and the Bengals in an AFC Central Division second-place tie at 7-7, but Houston would technically end up in second since it whipped Cincinnati in both games this year.

This year, though, is of only secondary importance, as far as Houston guard Ron Saul is concerned. "I just hope the fans are there to support us and see the Houston Oilers beat the Cleveland Browns for the first time," he says. "You have to go out with a win to start it for next year, and all I can say is, 'Look out Cleveland' and look out next year."

Denver's Broncos are locked into second place in the AFC West but the standings, in their case, are less important now than their record. They can wind up their best season ever by beating San Diego. The Broncos take a 7-5-1 record into the finale. Last year

they finished at 7-5-2, and that was their first winning season ever.

The game will also be a showcase for two probable postseason award-winning running back. Denver has Otis Armstrong, who has all but locked up the league rushing title with his 1,265 yards, 201 ahead of his closest challenger. San Diego's got Don Woods, perhaps the strongest Rookie of the Year candidate. The Chargers picked him up for the \$100 waiver fee from Green Bay when the Packers cut him and he's slashed his way for 1,057 yards.

Several teams besides Houston will be gunning for .500 seasons—the New York Jets, who have won five in a row and are hoping the second-half resurgence can convince veteran quarterback Joe Namath to stick around; the Philadelphia Eagles, who believe they've found their own quarterback sensation in Mike Boryla, and the Green Bay Packers, who found their quarterback, John Hadl, in midseason.

And for the Giants, the Baltimore Colts and the Atlanta Falcons, tied for the league's worst record at 2-11 apiece, the only thing left is the No. 1 selection in next January's college draft—and the Giants don't even have that, having traded away the pick in midseason to get quarterback Craig Morton from Dallas.

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AP Sports Writer

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The Flyers defeated the Atlanta Flames 3-2 in the only National Hockey League game scheduled Friday night. In the World Hockey Association, Edmonton edged Minnesota 5-4 and Toronto needed an overtime to slip past Cleveland 7-6.

With the Flames a man short, MacLeish was standing alongside the Atlanta net as Joe Watson slapped the puck towards the goal. Watson missed, but MacLeish was in the right place.

"I was to the side of the net and the defenseman was in front of the net," MacLeish said. "I tipped it in out of the air."

Curt Bennett had sent Atlanta out front 1-0 in the first period when he gathered in a rebound and scored while Philadelphia was a man short. Reggie Leach, who has scored 12 times in the Flyers' last 10 games, tied up the contest.

Buster Harvey's backhand shot just 36 seconds into the second period was matched by Philadelphia's Bob Kelley, setting the stage for MacLeish's winning goal with 93 seconds remaining in the game.

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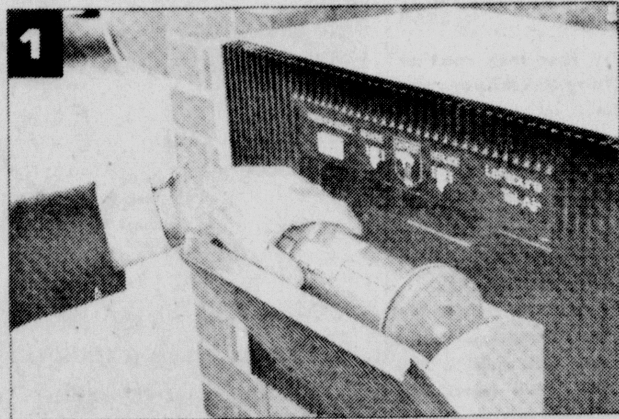


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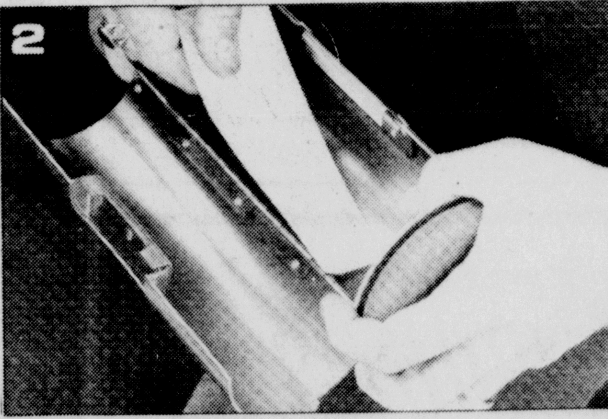
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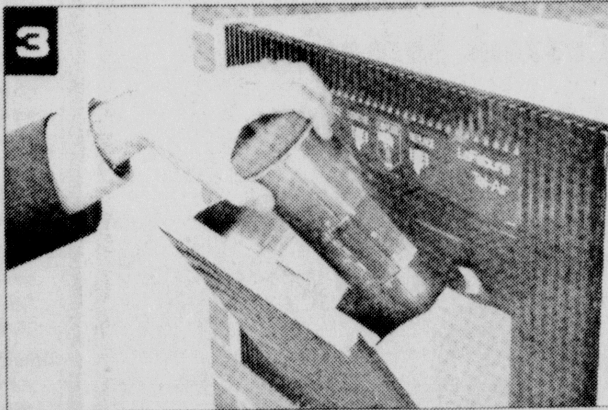
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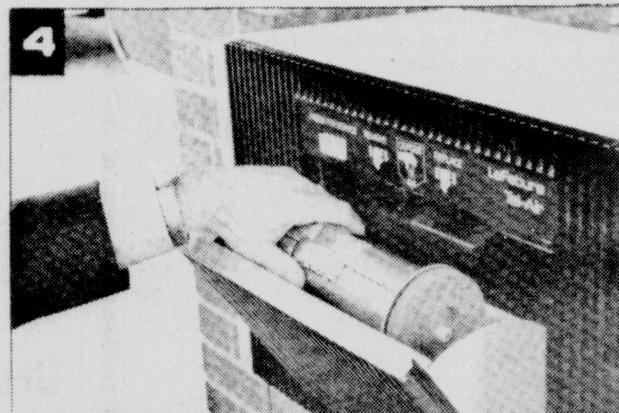
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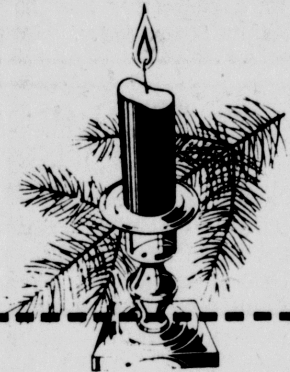
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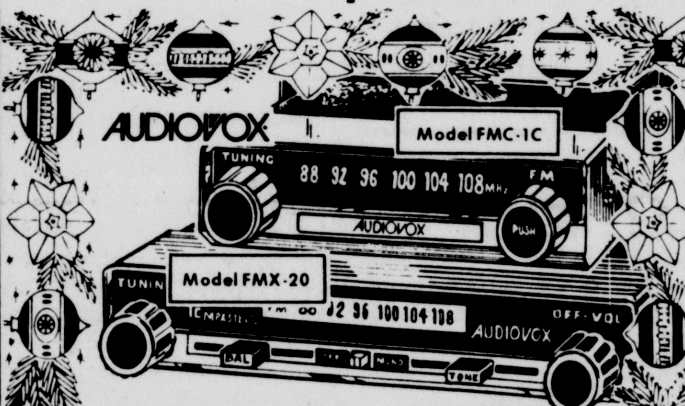


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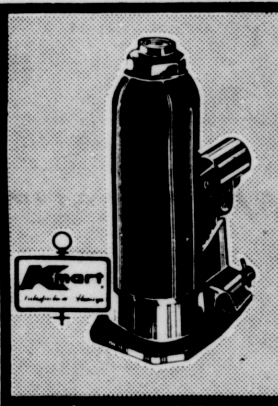
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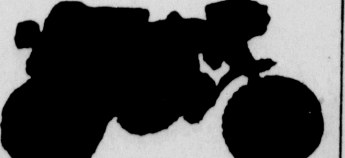
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♦ A 9 4			
♣ A J 7 5 3			
WEST			
♠ 8 7 5			
♥ K J 10 6 4 3 2			
♦ 8 6 3			
♣ K 10 2			
EAST			
♠ 9			
♥ A 5 3			
♦ Q J 7 5			
♣ Q 8 4 2			
SOUTH			
♠ A Q			
♥ A 5 3			
♦ Q J 7 5			
♣ Q 8 4 2			

The bidding:
 East South West North
 3♠ 3 NT Pass 4♠
 Pass 5♣

Opening lead — Seven of spades.

This was played nationwide in the American Contract Bridge League Charity game NOV. 29. It illustrates the importance of using the opponents bids against them in the play of the hand.

At matchpoints North should pass three no trump or bid six clubs facing partner's bid of five. However, the significance of the hand is in South's handling of the club suit in any contract.

Whether in three no trump, five clubs, a club slam or a no trump slam, 12 tricks are

Winners Tuesday at the Washington Inn were Bruce Strickland and Mrs. Charles Fabb first with 47, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wright second with 41, and Dr. and Mrs. K.K. Burriss third with 40. There were five tables and par was 36.

Five local players participated in the Chillicothe Christmas tournament last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wright finished third overall in competition with 46 pairs. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Zimmerman and George Malek.

There will be no Washington Duplicate Bridge Club games during the holidays. Games on Dec. 24 and 31 are cancelled. The next game will be Jan. 7 when competition for the club trophy will begin.

Hopeful News in Medicine:

Speaking of Your Health...

Lester L. Coleman, M.D.

Gall Stone Chemical Treatment

The hope of dissolving gall stones, once thought to be fictional, may soon become a reality.

Dr. M.J. Coyne, of the Cedars-Sinai Medical Center in Los Angeles, has successfully treated a series of patients with chemicals. The gall stones were dissolved in about one-third of the patients treated with chenodeoxycholic acid, in combination with phenobarbital.

The results of this study presented at the American Gastroenterological Association were met with enthusiasm. Undoubtedly, further studies will be made at many hospitals to substantiate these interesting findings.

Immunotherapy is the study of why some people are more susceptible to diseases than others. It is a relatively new extension of modern medicine and science.

The term was once restricted only to those research workers who were isolated in laboratories. Today, however, physicians everywhere are aware of this exciting new horizon.

A greater understanding of the body's normal defense mechanisms and their deficiencies holds the key to the eventual treatment of infectious

diseases as well as arthritis, neurological diseases and perhaps even cancer.

When immunity, or body defenses, is better understood only then can therapy, or treatment, be more successful.

Interest in immunotherapy has been heightened by a desire to learn more about the rejection of transplants. Now, by manipulating the body's immunity system, there is greater hope that some of the mysterious diseases that man is heir to may soon be controlled.

High doses of caffeine found in tea, coffee and cola drinks may be responsible for a high level of anxiety and tension in many people.

Dr. John F. Greden, of the Walter Reed Army Medical Center, believes that many cases of breathlessness, nervousness, irregular heartbeat and headache may be due to ingesting large quantities of caffeine.

In a recent article, he said that subtracting one drug, caffeine, may be of greater benefit to his patients than adding another.

DR. COLEMAN welcomes letters from readers, and, while he cannot undertake to answer each one, he will use questions in his column whenever possible and when they are of general interest. Address your letters to Dr. Coleman in care of this newspaper.

Youth Activities

WAHANKA KA TA CF

The Wahanka Ka Ta Camp Fire girls held their meeting at Wilson School Wednesday after school. Jackie Baxter brought the meeting to order and the group welcomed a new member, Kim Preston. After a short business meeting we all made Thanksgiving turkeys of foam and felt and then put magnets on them. Jackie Baxter served refreshments and Pam Yarger will serve at the next meeting.

JoLynn Bobst, scribe

WAHANKA KA TA CF

The meeting of the Wahanka Ka Ta Camp Fire Girls was held in Wilson School, when seven girls were present. Kim Preston led the Pledge of Allegiance and the group made the Sign of the Fire. Honor beads were distributed to members earning them in the different crafts by Mrs. Yarger, Guardian.

New officers elected were: President, Denise Tate; vice president, Kari Wolfe; secretary, Jackie Baxter; treasurer, Tonda Lute; and scribe, Pam Yarger. A gift exchange is planned for Dec. 18, and the girls will go carolling at various nursing homes Dec. 16. Refreshments were served by Pam Yarger and LeAnn Mattson will serve the 18th.

Pam Yarger, scribe

Dog used to lick stamps

HORNBEAK, Tenn. (AP) — The post office at Hornbeak is a white concrete block building with a flag outside and a mongrel dog inside that licks stamps.

"Yep, that's right," said Postmaster Jerry Short, who owns the dog, Rex. "Licks them right there in the back of the post office when (rural mail carrier Jerry) Tucker holds them out to him. Before we had Rex, Tucker had to lick his own stamps."

To Hornbeak's 300 residents, the dog is a celebrity. He has been licking stamps behind the counter for two years.

"We ought to put him on the payroll," said Short, whose post office is about 100 miles north of Memphis. "He's the afternoon attraction. They (customers) can see him right through the side of the counter."

Short said Rex doesn't merely drool on the stamps.

"He licks them off a hundred roll," he said. "Sometimes he bites down on one and tries to swallow it, which makes Tucker awfully mad because he has to make up the dime from his own pocket."

Customers on the route leave stamp money in their mailboxes, but Tucker has to put the stamps on the envelopes. Since Tucker hates to lick stamps, he and Rex have worked out a deal.

Hey, Navy man's alive

NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — Charlie Greene wants the Navy Finance Center in Cleveland, Ohio, to know that he's alive and well and should be getting paid.

Until recently, the retired Navy warrant officer had received a \$630 retirement check each month. But Greene's November check was withheld because the finance center said Greene had died.

In a letter to the center, Greene said, "I had turkey for Thanksgiving and I'd like to have turkey for Christmas."

Greene also supplied a statement from his physician, Dr. R. B. Grinnan, which said:

"Mr. Charles H. Greene has been carefully examined by me, and I can attest to the fact that he is indeed truly alive."

A spokesman for the finance center said it now believes Greene is alive but can't say for certain whether he'll get his check in time to buy a Christmas turkey.

MT Lunch Menu

December 16 - 20

MONDAY — Hot chicken sandwich, potato chips, buttered corn, applesauce, milk.

TUESDAY — Beef stew, cole slaw, biscuits and butter, brownie, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Meat loaf, buttered potatoes, bread and butter, fruit cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY — Pizza, spinach, Jello with fruit, cookie, milk.

FRIDAY — Tomato soup, grilled cheese sandwich, mixed fruit, milk.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT OF ACCOUNTS IN THE PROBATE COURT OF FAYETTE COUNTY, OHIO

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with Section 2109.32 of the Revised Code of Ohio, of the filing of the following accounts in this Court, to-wit:

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 732PE9408 Sarah E. Voss
 722PE9394 Audrie C. Kessler
 722PE9307 Thomas Albert Reep
 732PE9422 Alvin G. Little
 E8309 Charles Minshall, Sr.
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 744PE9743 Joseph Cyrus West
 743PE9720 John Exline
 NO. GUARDIANSHIP
 745PG2254 Scottie Edmondson
 749PG2244 Margaret Lewenia Roberts
 722PG2210 Lois Ann Rogers
 G2029 Harvey R. Woodburn
 NO. TRUST
 E7374 Iva Stackhouse

Notice is also given, in accordance with a special rule of this Court, that on the 15th day of January, 1975, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the Court will examine said accounts, and, if found correct and in conformity to law, will order said accounts settled and recorded, and fiduciaries filing final accounts discharged, except as to such accounts regarding which, on or before said date, hearing is requested or ordered, in accordance with Section 2109.33 of the Revised Code of Ohio.

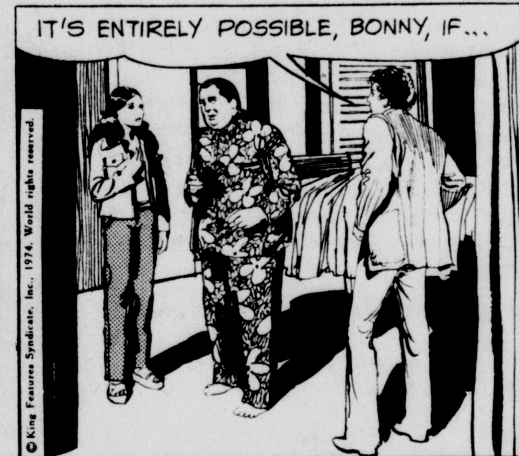
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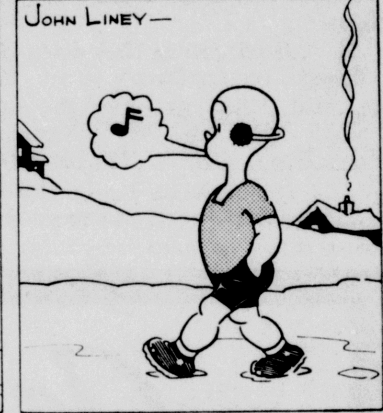
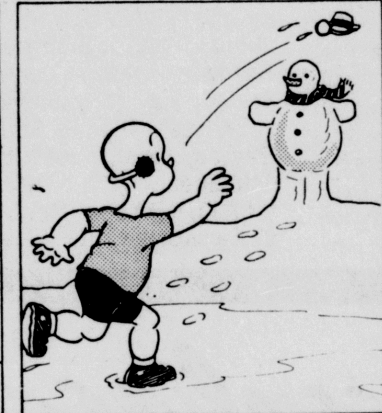
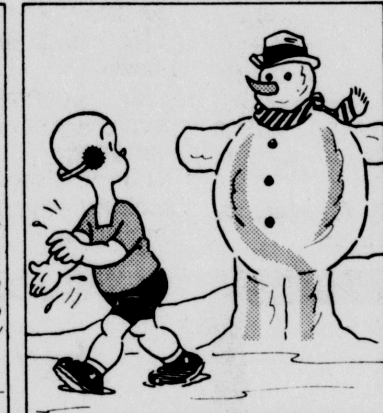
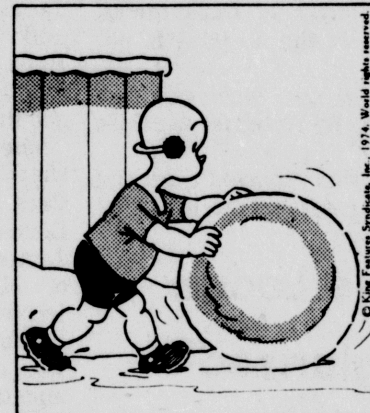


"You're a genius, Donald... Even with inflation, YOU manage to take me out on a date with only a dollar thirty-five!"

Dr. Kildare



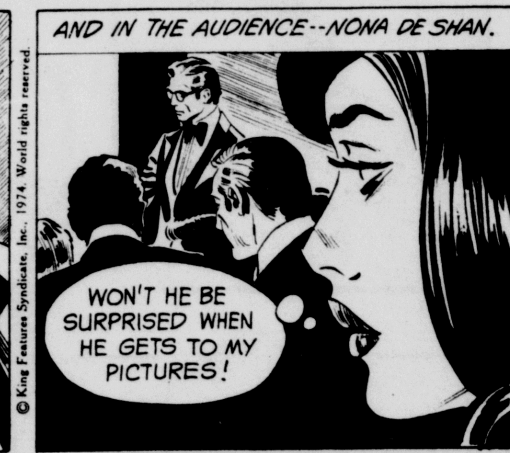
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By Chic Young

By Bud Blake

Demands on Israel issued by Egypt

By The Associated Press
Israeli officials say Egypt's demand for a 50-year freeze on Israel's immigration and population is unprecedented in recorded history.

The government made no formal response to the statement issued Friday by Egyptian Foreign Minister Ismail Fahmy and distributed by the official Middle East News Agency in Cairo.

Later, a Foreign Ministry official qualified Fahmy's original remarks by saying that Fahmy was actually calling for "a limit in the rate of immigration" and was not suggesting a freeze on Israel's birth rate.

Knowledgeable sources in Jerusalem said they hoped Fahmy had been misquoted, since the remarks represented a substantial hardening of the Egyptian position on prerequisites for a peace settlement in the Middle East.

Egypt has been relatively moderate despite its consistent opposition to Israel.

"Never in 4,000 years of recorded history has such a demand been made—that a nation cease to allow its own people to join it on its territory," said one Israeli official.

Man, 92, seeks office

MAQUOKETA, Iowa (AP) — Ninety-two-year-old Ben Jacobsen has served seven terms as Maquoketa's mayor, and he says he will be running for an eighth next year when he is 93.

Maquoketa, population about 5,700, sprawls over 2,800 acres in east central Iowa.

Jacobsen got his first taste of politics when he was elected to the city council in 1920.

He bowed out in 1924 when he purchased the hardware store he still operates, then got into the thick of things again in 1954 when he was elected mayor at 72. He's tossed his hat in the ring intermittently since then, and his last two-year term ended Dec. 31, 1973.

Fahmy was quoted as saying: "In any peace settlement Israel must freeze its present population and pledge not to increase the number of its immigrants for the next 50 years."

An Israeli official said the nation's immigration goals are spelled out in Israel's declaration of independence, and that one of the first laws enacted by Israel was the "Law of Return" granting automatic citizenship to any Jew who came to live in Israel.

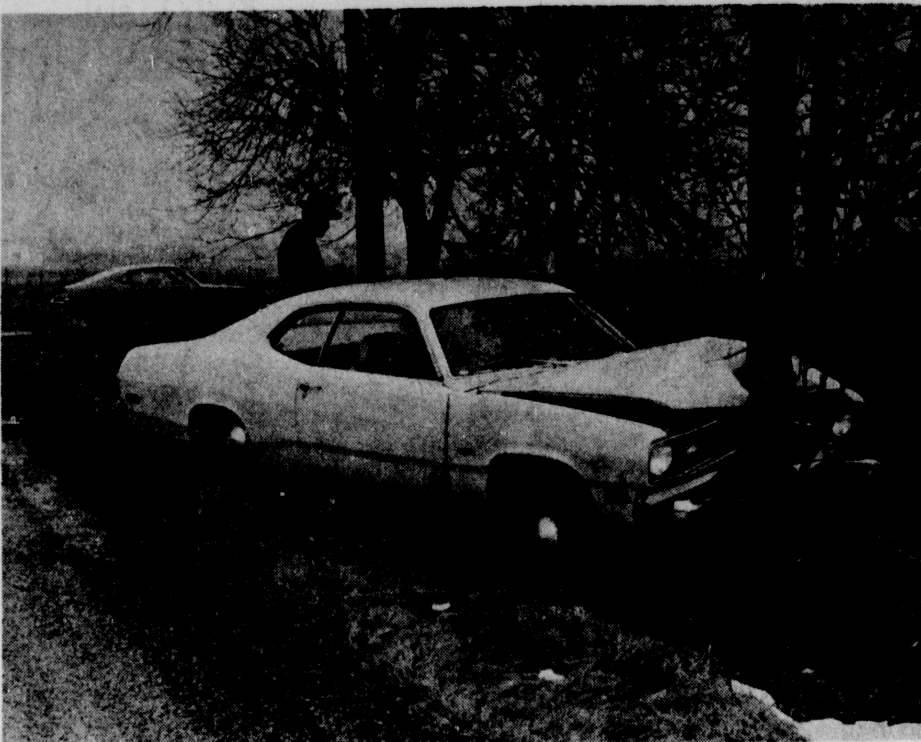
Israel has about 3 million people and its flow of immigration has dropped about 40 per cent from last year, due mainly to economic problems and fears of Palestinian terrorism and another war.

Fahmy also said Israel must pay compensation to Arab states for past "Israeli aggression" and to the Palestinians for "material and moral damages" over the last 26 years.

He said Israel "has no alternative but to recognize the PLO (Palestine Liberation Organization) as the representative of the Palestine people, or face expulsion from the U.N."

Israel has repeatedly refused to recognize the PLO, which it calls an organization of terrorists.

Fahmy's statement was in reply to remarks by Israeli Premier Yitzhak Rabin in a London television interview on Thursday. Rabin said Israel could cause 10 times more destruction of Arab targets in case of war than the Arabs could inflict on Israel.



WOOPS — Kimberly F. Smallwood, 16, Clemens Road, near New Holland, received a rude lesson in keeping your eyes on the road Saturday morning. She and her mother, Clara, had just pulled from their driveway at 9 a.m. Saturday when a purse on the front seat spilled over. Miss Smallwood took her eyes from the road for just a second — which was a little too long. She and her mother were taken to Fayette Memorial Hospital by Mr. Smallwood, and apparently had only minor injuries. Sheriff's deputy Larry Camp investigated the accident. The car shown in the background is parked in the Smallwood's driveway.

Middletown woman injured in crash

A Middletown woman was admitted to Fayette Memorial Hospital after an accident at 8:15 a.m. Saturday, the Fayette County Sheriff's Department reported.

Bonnie J. Lenroot, 43, failed to stop at the intersection of the U.S. 35 Bypass and Palmer Road and struck a highway sign and 10 rods of fence belonging to the Ohio State Highway Department.

Her condition at the hospital is not known.

Ms. Lenroot's car was severely damaged and she was cited for reckless operation.

Sheriff's deputies reported a second accident which involved the injury of three people.

A car driven by James L. McDonald, 24, Bloomingburg-New Holland Road, went out of control at the intersection of CCC Highway-E and Washington-Waterloo Road at 11:40 a.m. Friday.

His car struck a drainage culvert pipe and a fence belonging to James Wilson, of CCC Highway-E.

McDonald and his two passengers, Jackie Kay McDonald, 18, New Holland and Patty Ann Sullivan, 3, New Holland, claimed injury from the mishap, but it is not known whether or not they sought treatment.

The third accident reported by sheriff's deputies also involved injury. Cars driven by James K. Conley, 33, Lucasville and Gary K. Matthews, 16, Jamestown, collided at the intersection of Main and High Streets in Jeffersonville at 4:25 p.m. Friday.

Conley claimed injury and Matthews was charged with improper left turn and failure to yield right of way. Both autos incurred moderate damage.

Washington C.H. police investigated two minor accidents.

A car driven by Mabel M. Briggs, 64, of 331 Western Ave., backed into a car owned by Ivan Saxton, 543 Warren Ave., in Frisch's parking lot, Clinton Avenue, at 5:07 p.m. Friday.

A car driven by Gregory A. Fessler, 17, of 1128 Nelson Place, struck the rear of a car driven by Dixie S. Slaven, 30, of 3205 Worthington Rd., at the intersection of North and E. Market streets at 3:49 p.m. Friday, police reported.

Neither driver was injured.

Senate OKs trade bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — A trade bill containing a historic appeal for human rights in Communist countries has won a surprisingly easy Senate victory, virtually assuring final congressional approval next week.

The bill, which assumed priority status because of economic upheaval brought on by world food shortages and high oil prices, was passed by the Senate 77 to 4 Friday night.

The vote ended a whirlwind debate that provided little opportunity for senators to discuss the measure, which sponsors concede grants the President unprecedented powers in the trade field.

Moose Lodge burglarized

Washington C.H. police reported a breaking and entering incident at the Moose Lodge, two bad checks, a bicycle larceny and a trash dumping violation today in their offense reports.

The Moose Lodge, 230 E. Court St., was broken into sometime Friday night by a person who pried open the cash drawers and absconded with a yet undetermined amount of money. Police are investigating the theft.

A bad check for \$580.80 was passed at Washington C.H. Wrecking Co., 1129 Columbus Ave., on Sept. 27 and another bad check was cashed at the Fayette County Bank, Fayette Center, on Oct. 8 for \$143. Police are investigating the fraudulent checks.

A boys' 10-speed bicycle was stolen from the front porch of the Jennifer Bailey residence, 615 Harrison St., sometime Thursday night, police reported. The bicycle was valued at \$75.

A vacant lot at the end of Flint Drive, owned by Homer Smith, Rt. 5, was littered with trash Friday, police reported.

Lamp causes fire

A table lamp knocked over onto a bed created a fire at the Michael Coder residence at 1254 Rawlings St., at 6:52 p.m. Friday.

Washington C.H. firemen, who fought the blaze with water, reported the mattress and covers burned and estimated damage at \$200. No one was injured.

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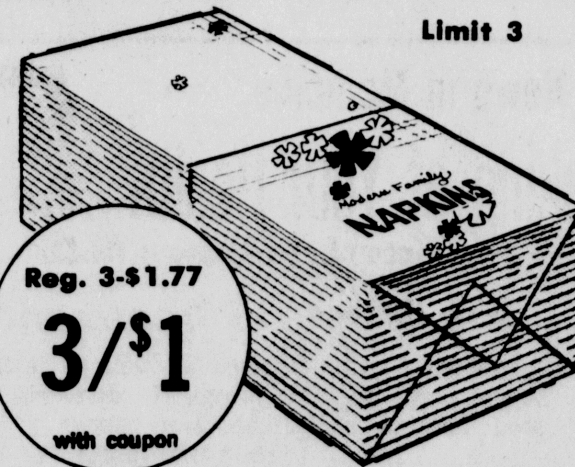
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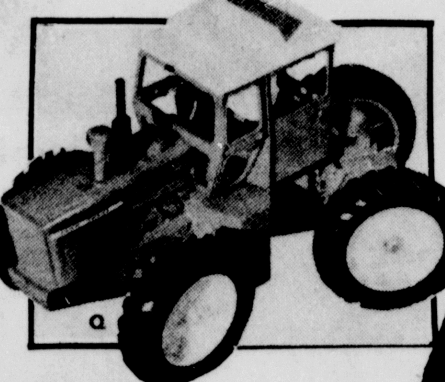
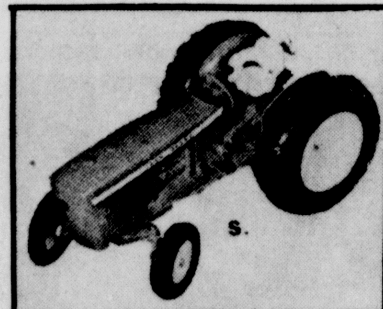


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